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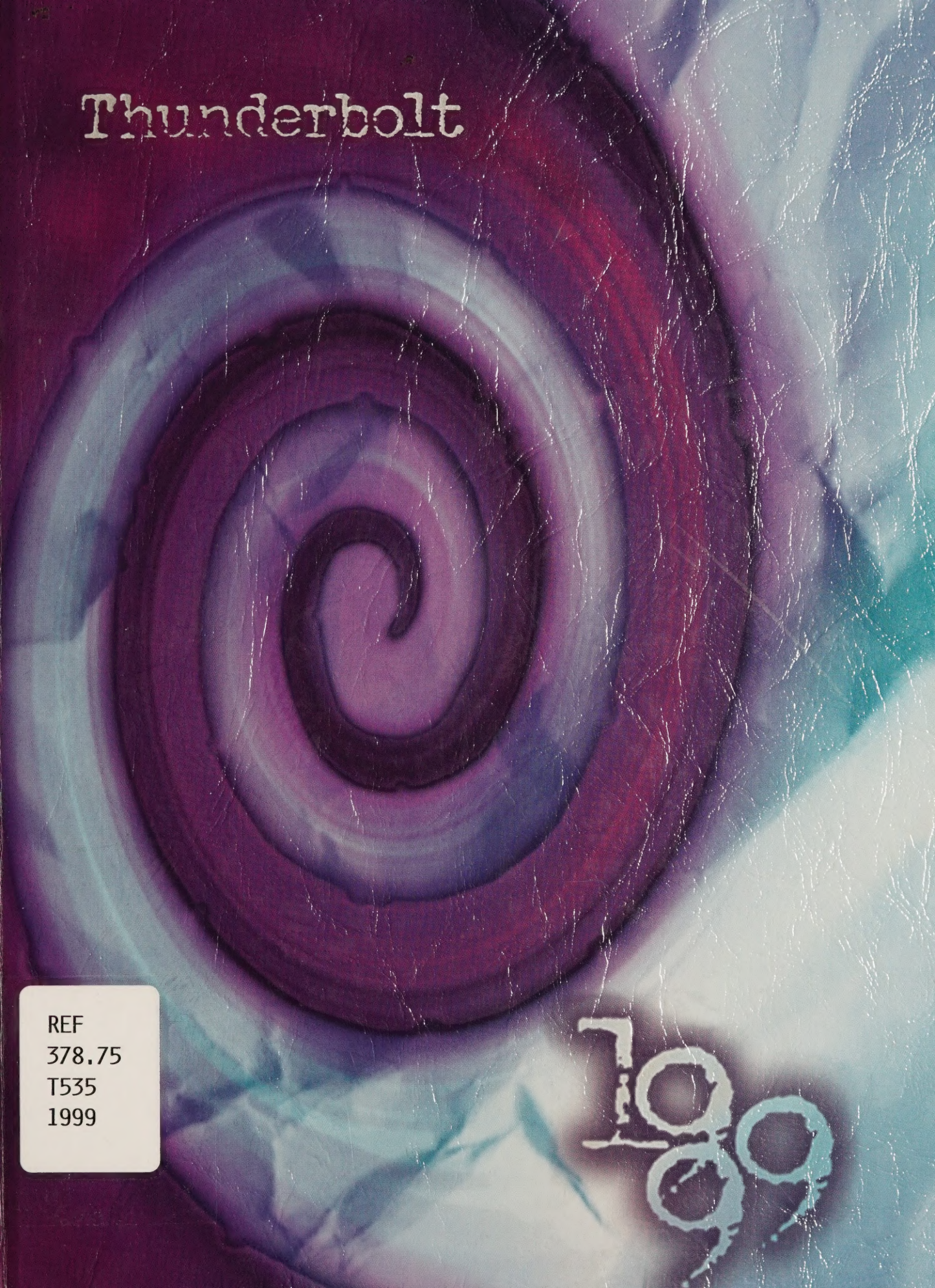

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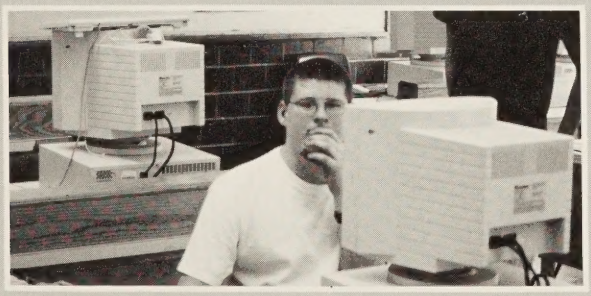

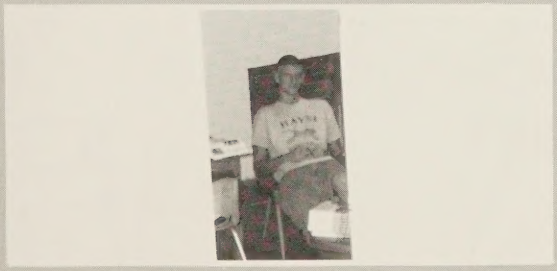

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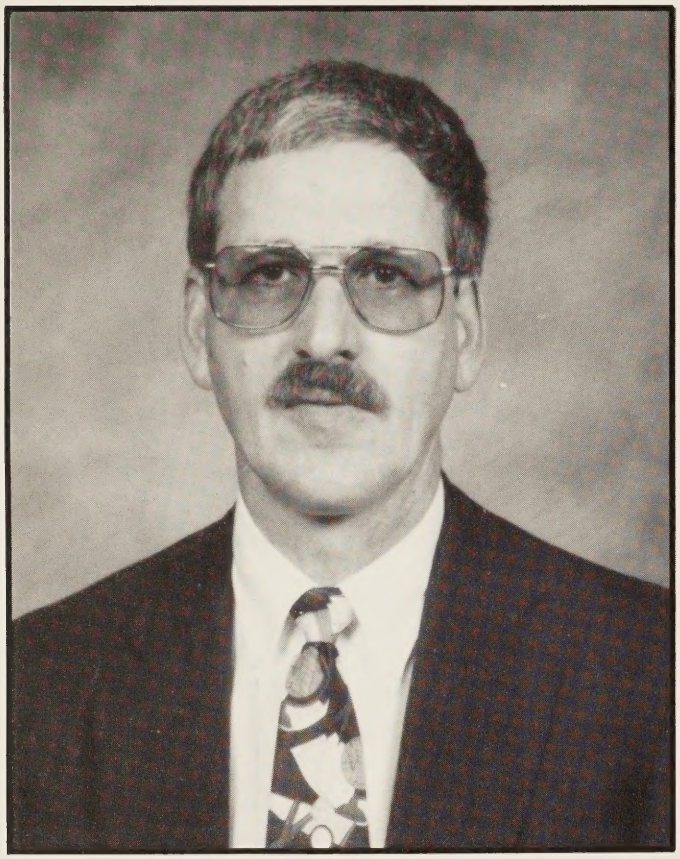


To The Class of '99

Let me congratulate you on your graduation from Haysi High School and to commend you most highly for your extraordinary achievements. You have impressed me throughout your high school years as truly outstanding students. I commend you for your hard work and winning attitude.

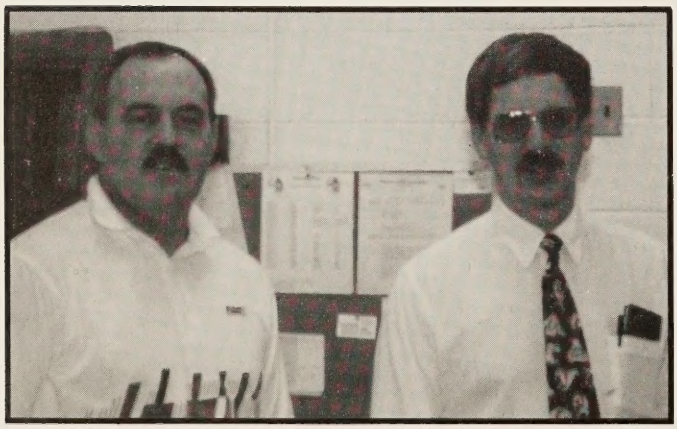
During the past years, I have watched you grow more poised and confident in your capabilities and I have been pleased to see that growth. You have contributed much to your school, and that contribution has helped your own development. I hope you will maintain your interest in school, persevere in your hard work, and enjoy much success.

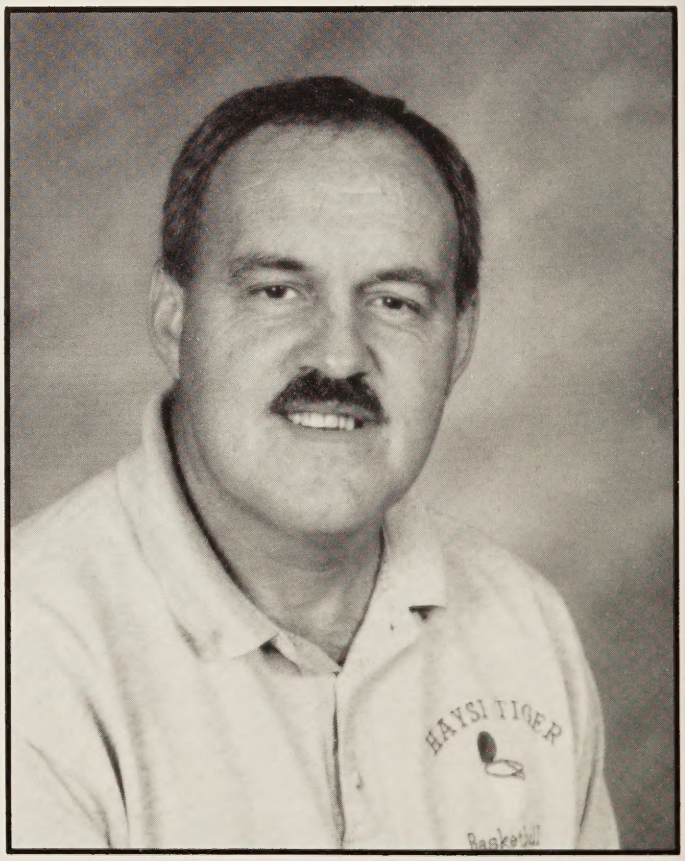
I know you will do well in whatever you choose and will continue to make all of us, including your parents, proud of your accomplishments. More than that, I know that you will continue to be the fine people you have become.

George W Rourke

I would like to extend my congratulations to the graduating class of 1999. It has been a pleasure working with you throughout the years. You should be proud of the accomplishment you have achieved but not satisfied. Remember that "Life Is Not Fair" but a person's reward is determined by the amount of effort he has put forth. I hope each and everyone will be able to fulfill your hopes and dreams for the future.

Larry Compton





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Frankie, Mary Sue, Darrel

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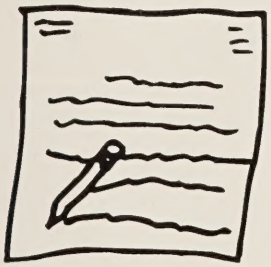
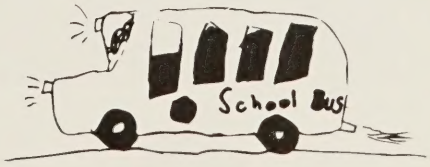
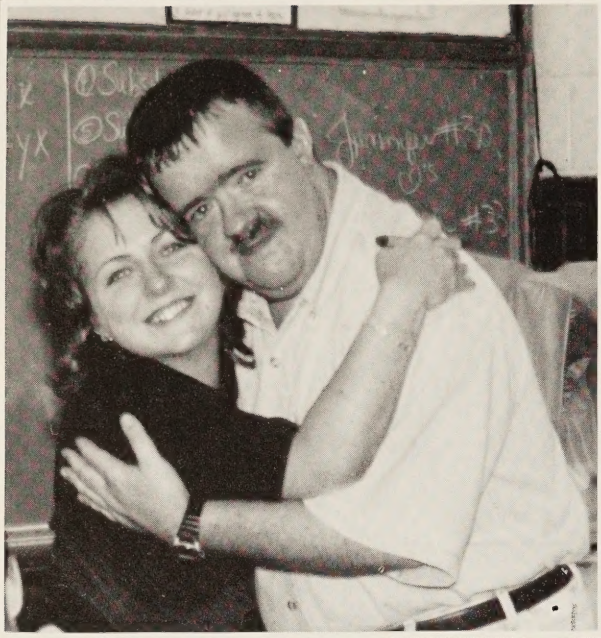
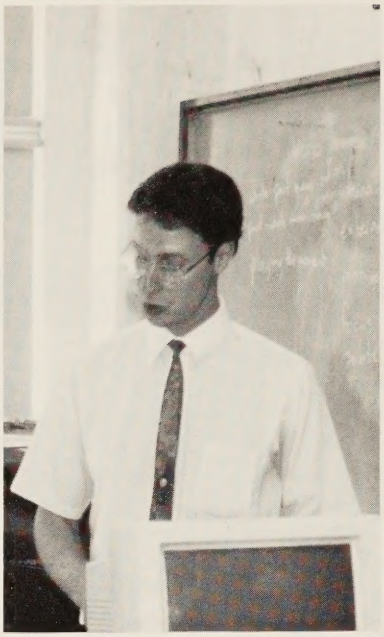
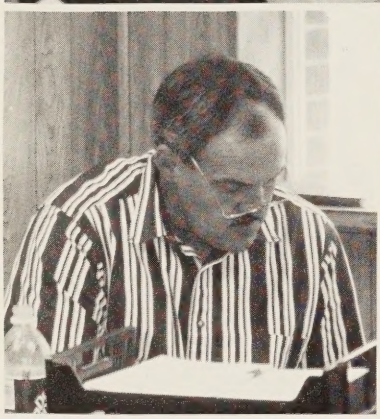


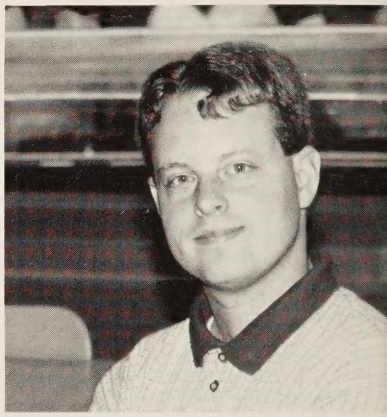
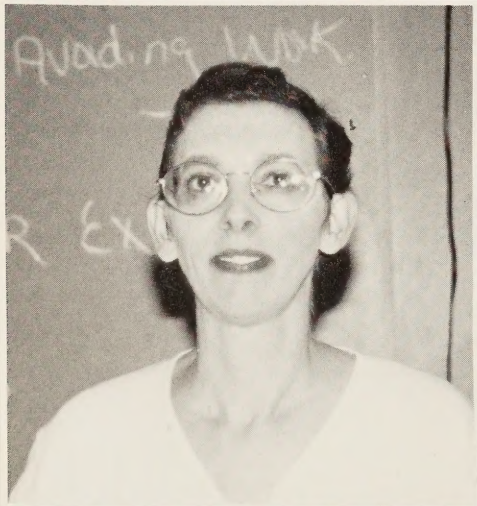
Mary Sue, Thurlene, Alice

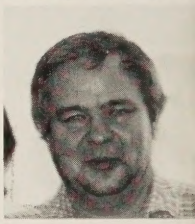
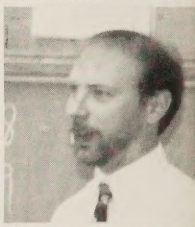
Administrative & Support Personnel





TEACHER PERSONALITIES

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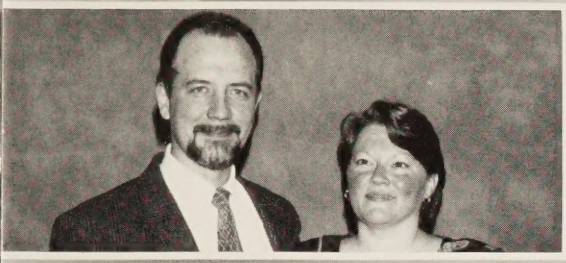
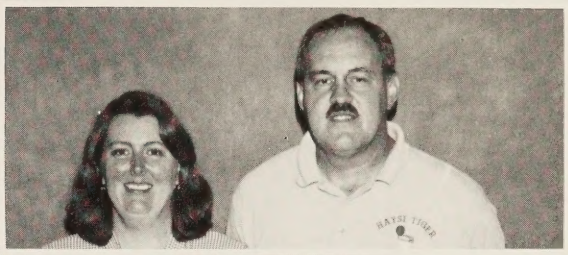


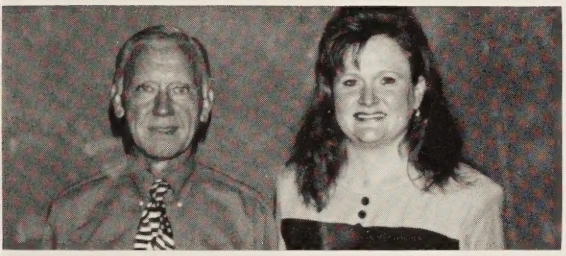
Stewart Colley
Robin Charles

Most Dedicated



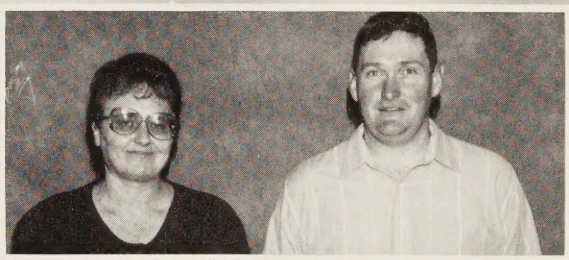
Larry Compton
Rita Justice

Most Respected



Zane Counts
Denechia Edwards

Mr. And Mrs. Homework



Rick Mullins
Bonnie Ratliff

Most Enjoyable

Dave Sutherland
Missy Sykes

Most Admired

Raymond McCarty
Diana Puckett

Most Memorable

Rod Boyd
Sandra Looney

Most School Spirited

Kevin Minion
Vickie Barton

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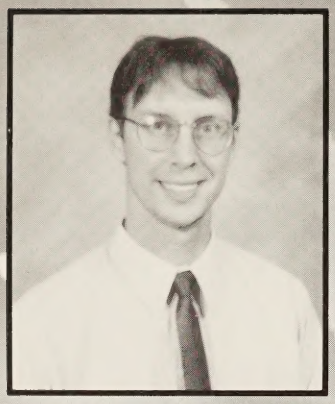

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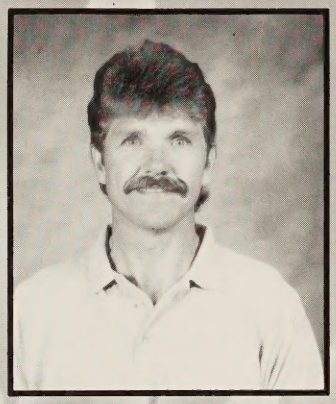
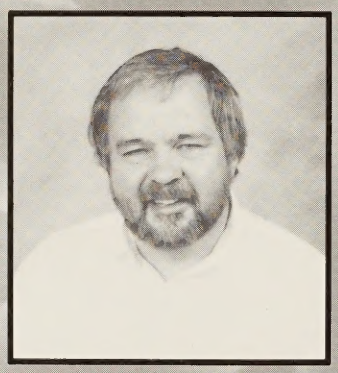


James Colley

Shelia Counts

Sandra Looney



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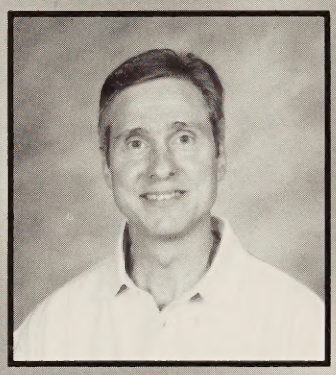

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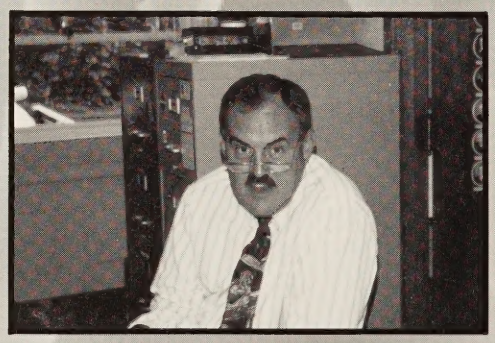

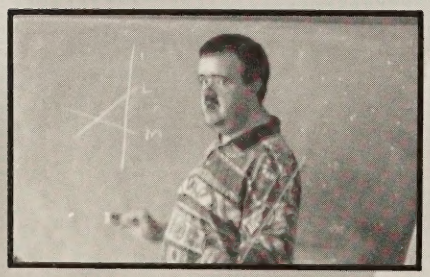

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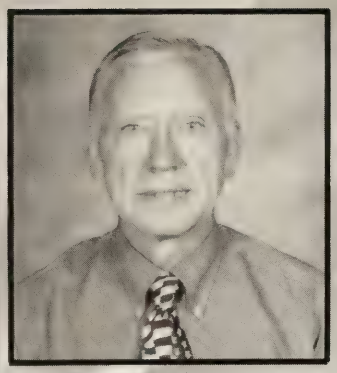
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SENIOR SPONSORS:
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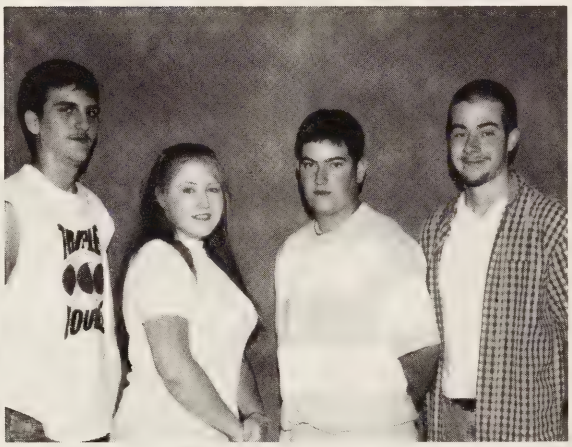
DIANE PUCKETT



SENIOR OFFICERS:
HISTORIAN: SAM DEEL
SECRETARY: LAVADA SWEENEY
VICE PRESIDENT: MATTHEW PUCKETT
PRESIDENT: MATTHEW POWERS

SENIOR TRIP SPONSORS:
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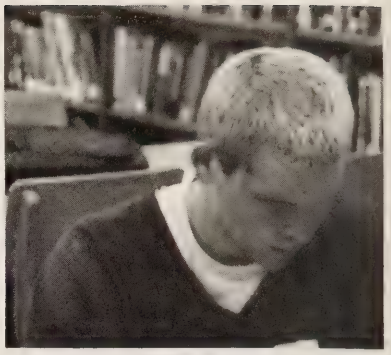
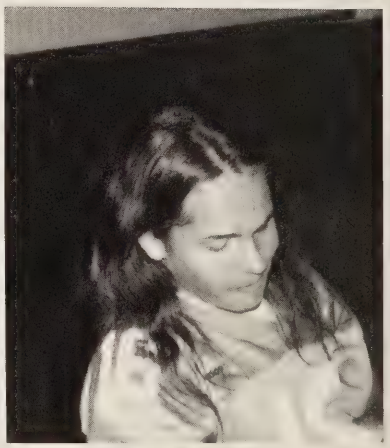
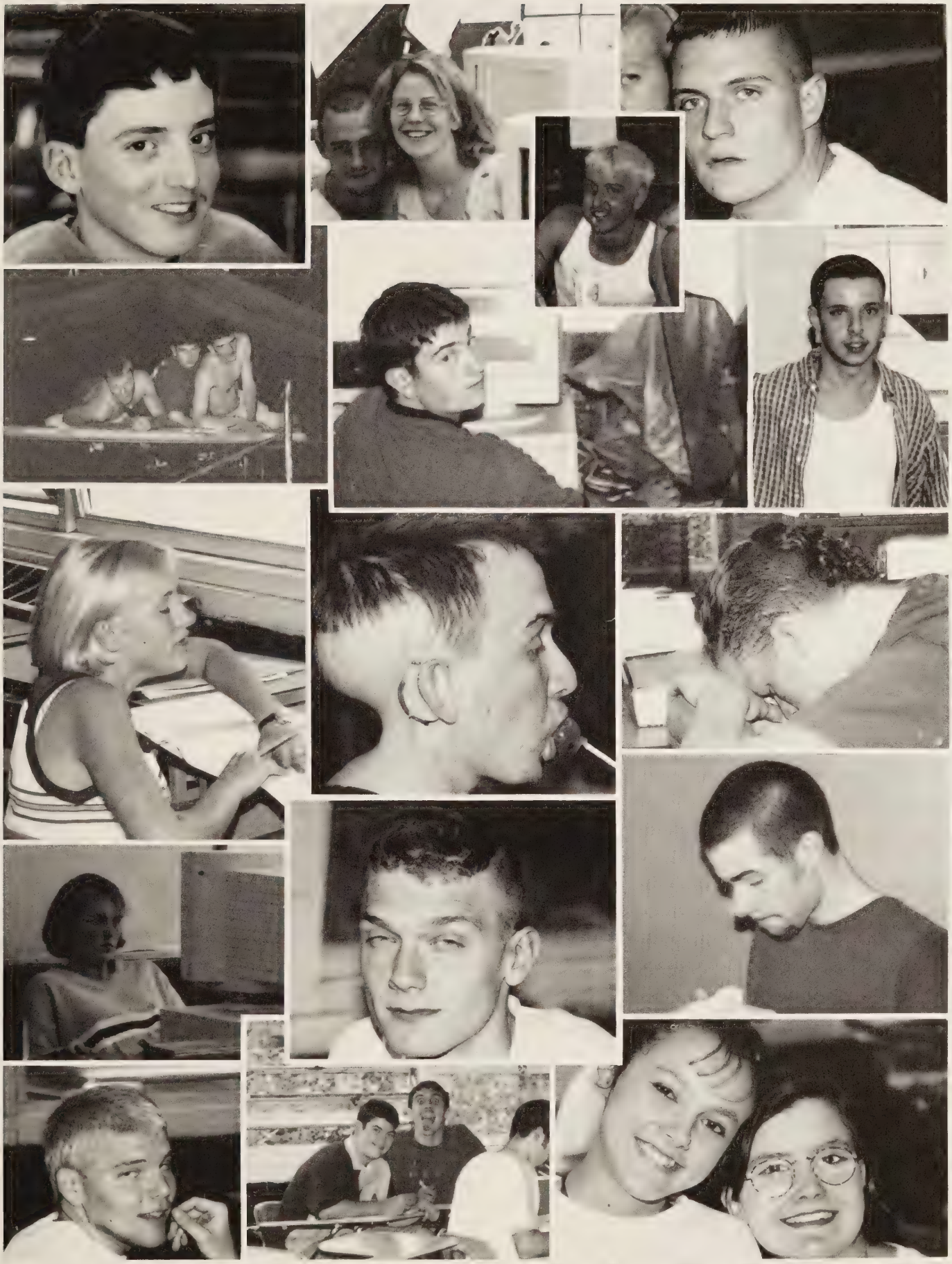
ROB BOYD; RITA JUSTICE







Haysi High Senior Class

1

Matthew Powers is the son of David and Phyllis Powers. He is the president of the Senior class & Beta Club. He is co-editor of the yearbook and photographer and computer specialist of the newspaper. He is captain of the Academic Bowl Team & vice president of the 4-H club. He is a member of the SADD Club, Key Club, Upward Bound, and is a film crew member for the girls basketball team. His future plans are to attend Virginia Tech & major in computer science. Matthew plans to become a network administrator and design websites for large corporations and make a positive difference in the world.

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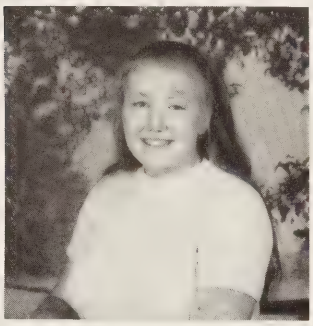

Lavada Sweeney is the daughter of Arthur and Melster Sweeney. She is secretary of the Senior class and editor of the *Tiger Tribune*. She is Flag Captain for the 1998-99 Marching Tiger Band and plays alto sax in the concert band. She is a member of the Beta Club, yearbook staff, Academic Bowl Team, Team Odyssey, and Upward Bound. She also has entries in the school's State Creative Writing Folder. Her future plans are to attend Virginia Tech and major in either English education or journalism. Lavada plans on becoming a famous columnist for the *New York Times* and later settle down to be a high school English teacher.

5

Gaylup Turner is the daughter of Billy and Virginia Turner. She is a member of the Beta Club, Key Club, SADD, YAC, 4-H Club, and yearbook staff. She also has entries in the school's State Creative Writing Folder. Gaylup is the captain of the Varsity Basketball Cheerleaders and is a member of the tennis team. Her future plans are to attend a community college and then transfer to Radford University. Gaylup plans on becoming either a lawyer or a child psychologist.

7

Mary Hickman is the daughter of Ronnie and Wanda Raines. She is a member of the Beta Club and Upward Bound. Mary is the recipient of several academic awards, including Who's Who and a Biology award. Her future plans are to attend SVCC and then transfer to Radford University. Mary plans to become either an elementary school teacher or a corrections officer.

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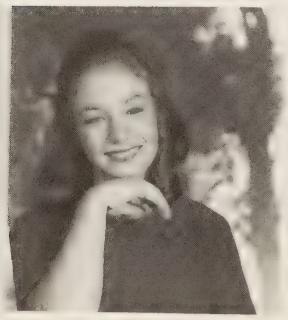


Danielle Mullins is the daughter of Victor and Susan Mullins. She is Drum Major for the 1998-99 Marching Tiger Band and plays both tenor sax and clarinet in the concert band. She is a member of the Beta Club. Danielle is a member of the volleyball and softball teams. Her future plans are to attend college and get a degree in Veterinary medicine.

Academic Top Ten

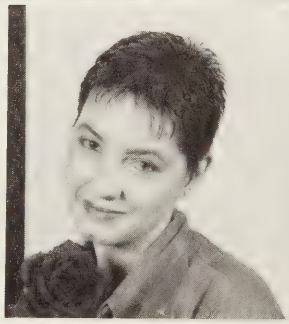
Matthew Puckett is the son of Warren and Debbie Puckett. He is a member of the Beta and Key Clubs. He is a member of the yearbook and newspaper staffs. He participates in Forensics and the Academic Bowl Team. He is also a member of Upward Bound. Matthew is a member of the baseball and golf teams. His future plans are to attend college and major in political science and pursue a higher degree in law school. Matthew plans on becoming a successful lawyer and politician.

2

Amanda Viers is the daughter of Kelly and Yvonne Viers. She is a member of the Beta Club, Key Club, SADD, and FBLA. Her future plans are to attend SVCC. Amanda plans on becoming a Certified Public Accountant.

4

Kelly Riley is the daughter of Kennithe and Vonda Riley. She is a member of the Beta Club, Key Club, 4-H, and SADD. She participates in Student Government, Forensics, and the Academic Bowl Team. Kelly is a member of the Varsity Girls Volleyball, Tennis, and Track teams. She also serves as "Tiger" mascot during football and boys basketball seasons. Her future plans are to attend college and major in Biology. Kelly plans on working for the Discovery channel filming documentaries, and setting a course in new scientific research.



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Bryan Hill is the son of Fon and Lois Hill. He is a member of the Beta Club and FBLA. His future plans are to attend Southwest Virginia Community College and then transfer to Clinch Valley College. Bryan plans to major in Business and Computers.

8

Sam Deel is the son of Cleamis and Patsy Deel. He is a member of the Beta Club, Key Club, Team Odyssey, YAC, yearbook staff, and is treasurer of SADD. Sam is a member of the Varsity Boys Basketball, Tennis, and Track teams. His future plans are to attend Radford University. Sam plans on becoming either a dentist or a neurosurgeon.

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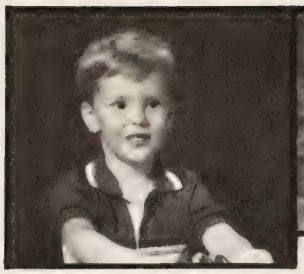
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Amanda Hogston

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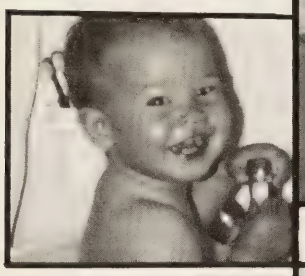
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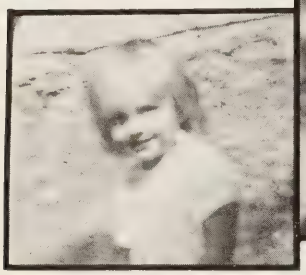
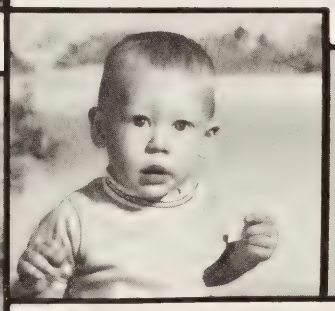

Shanelle Mullins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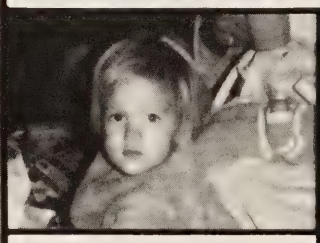
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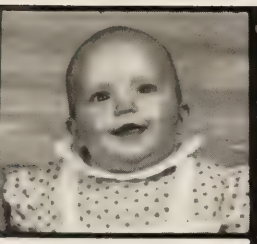
Senior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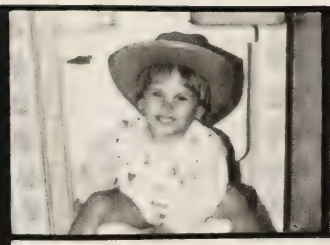
Sharonda Powitzky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Brandon Willis

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Jessica Taylor

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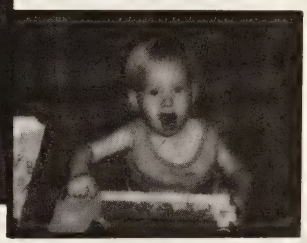
Lavada Sweeney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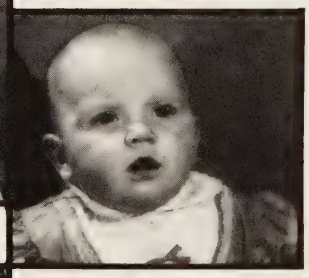

Amanda Deel

Babies

Tim O'Quinn

Looking Forward To

Ain't Luke cute

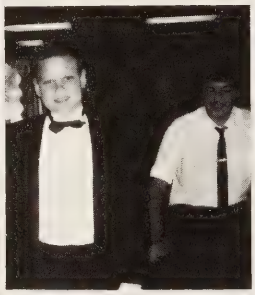
Shanelle is ready for Halloween

Clay fishing!

Look how cute Priscilla is!

Amanda just got out of bed

Cheer up Ashley


Nat T. all dressed up

Sarah is happy!

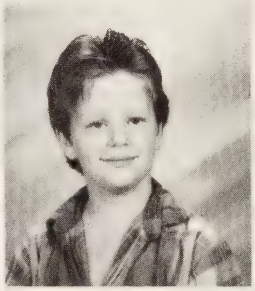
Wesley Conaway

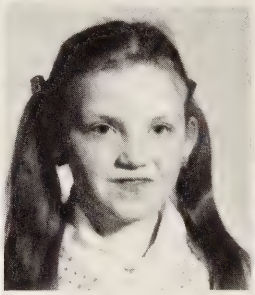
They are friendly?

Good Job Jamie

I am so good

We are so cool


Les Mullins


Somebody doesn't look happy!

Smile Les

I finally made it!

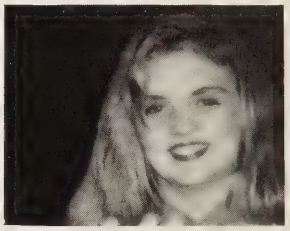
Gaylup is singing?

Jesse is so happy!

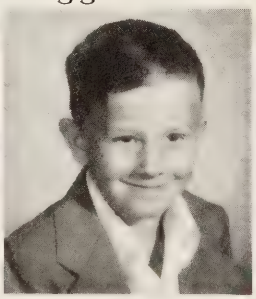
Daniel is looking good

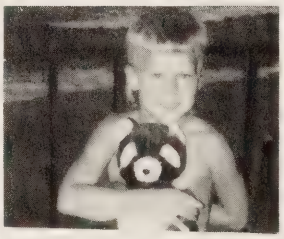
Man I look good

Aaaatt!


Shanelle Mullins

Hollie isn't whining?


What is Patrick thinking up now?


Ian, who is your friend?

Jessica is cheesin'

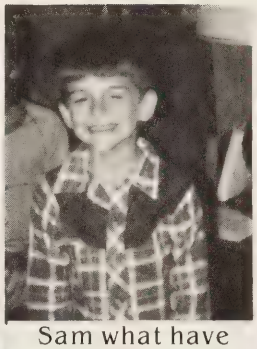
Jared caught a fish!

Looking Back

Sweethearts

It's OK Nat!

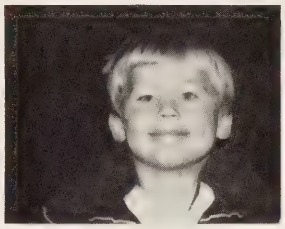
What's so funny?


Sam what have you been doing?

What's Kory up to now?

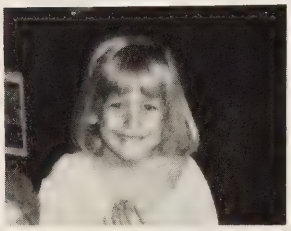
Smile

Sweet Angel


Cute Dimples

What? I didn't do it!

So Sweet


So Cute!

Friends Forever

Ain't I good

Doll Babies

Sunshine

Man, I am SEXY!

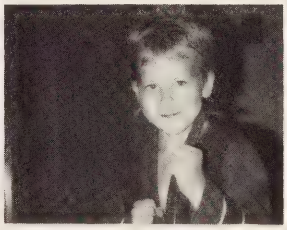
Ride 'em Cowboy

Devil Man

Loveable

Gotcha!

Hold that pose Tiff!


Come on let me hit you

Jeff

Grads

HuH?

Good Morning Glory!

Awe!

Shy but Sly!

ENDING THE MILLENNIUM

Kory Bostic #32

Danielle Borsha

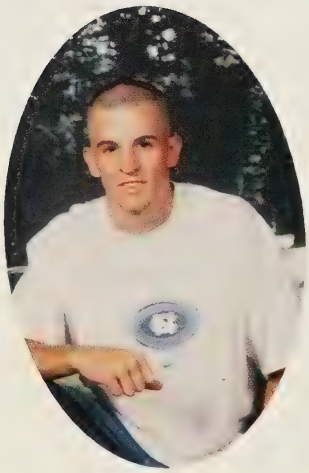
Lee Bowen

David Bowens

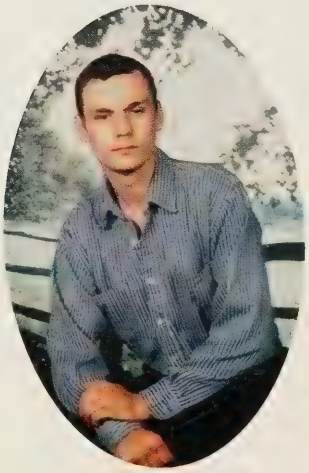
Jessica Bowman

Bobby Boyd

Shane Brown



Jim Children



Hoppy Coleman

Nat #51 #2 Comer

Wesley Conaway

NINETEEN HUNDRED

Matthew Cowee #50

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David Deel

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James Craig Deel

Jason W. Deel #65

Jeff Deel

Samuel T. Deel

Bradley Edwards

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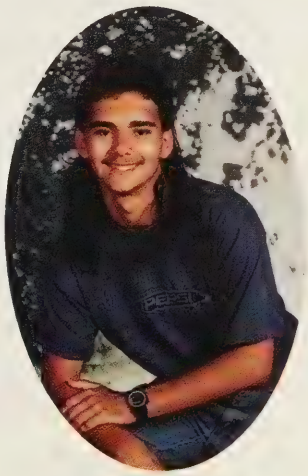
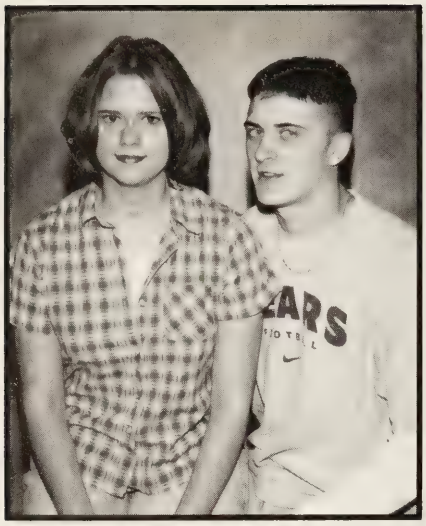


Jamie Edwards #89



Ashley Hill And Shane Brown

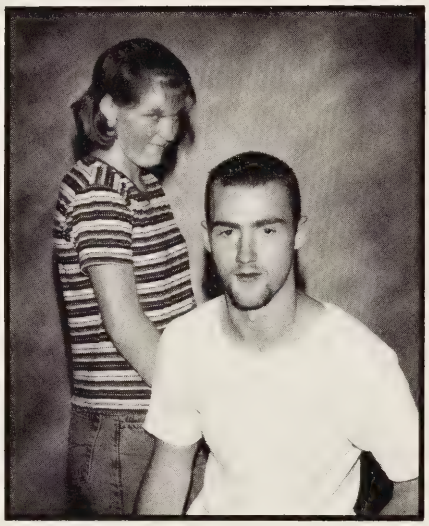
Priscilla Stanley And Nat Comer

Senior Flirts

Senior Cuties

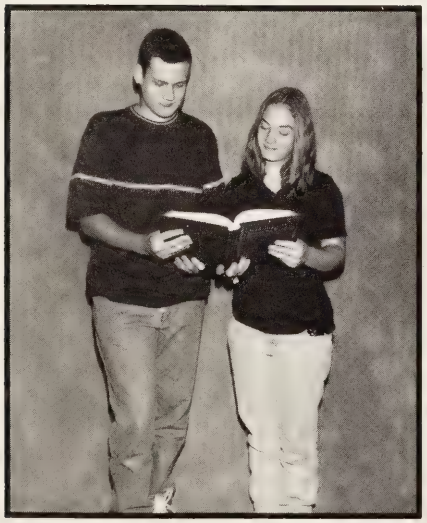
SEN IOR

Dawn Deel



Jeff Deel

Sly But Shy

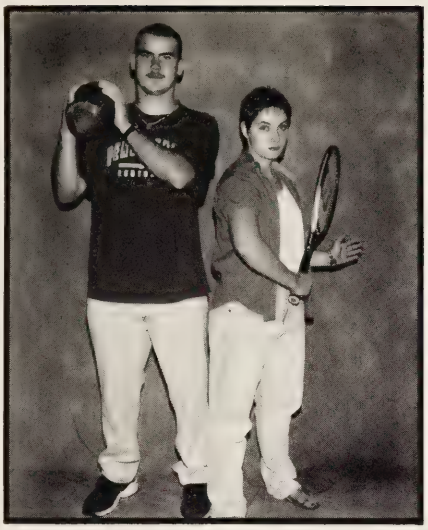


Danielle Mullins And Nathaniel Turner

Lavada Sweeney And Matt Puckett

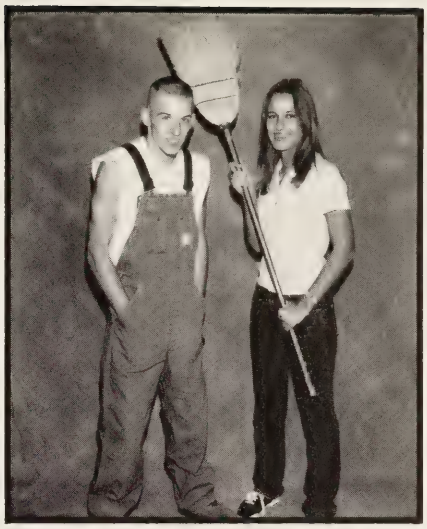
Most Studious

Most Likely To Succeed



Kelly Riley And John Salyers

Birgit MacKinger And Jesse Childress

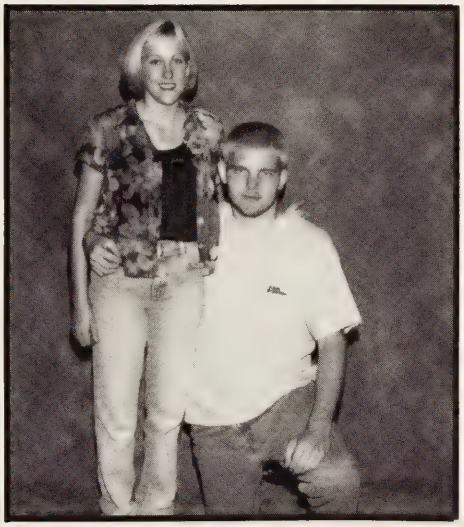


Most Athletic

Most Humerous

PERSON ALITIES

Amanda Viers

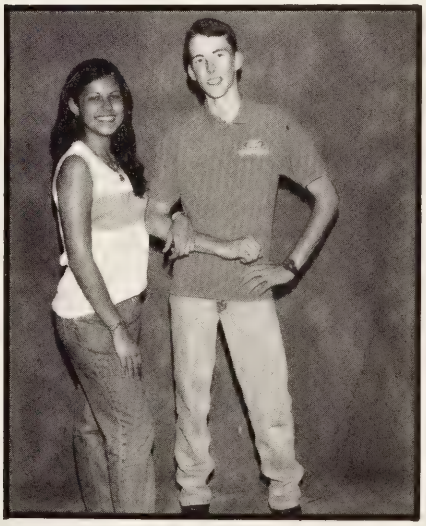


Luke Sutherland

Most Dependable

Mary Hickman And Jared Genco

Clarissa Guedes And Kyle Ramey

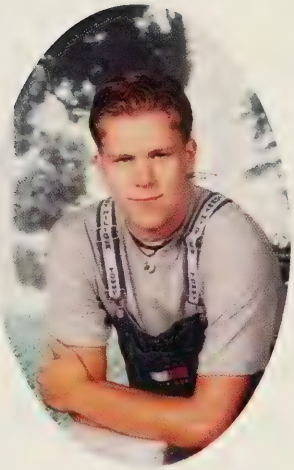


Most Unique

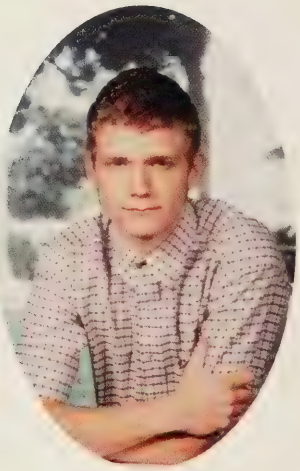
Most Courteous

NINETY NINE

Roma Edwards



Von Fleming

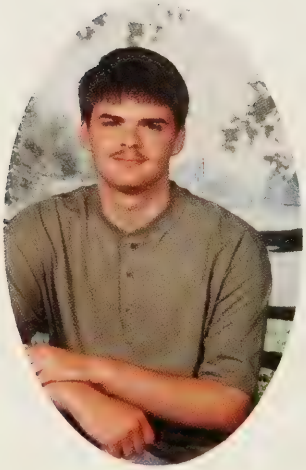


Eva Gotta

Clarissa Guedes

Mary Hickman

Ashley Hill



Bryan Hill

Richard Hill #44

Amanda G. Hogston

Sarah Lester

SENIORS ARE

Birgit Hackinger

Brian Mullins

Danielle Mullins

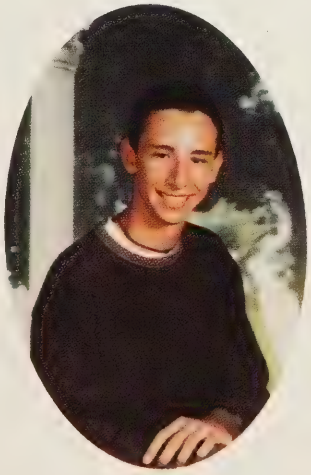
Danyelle Mashelle Mullins

Sean Mullins

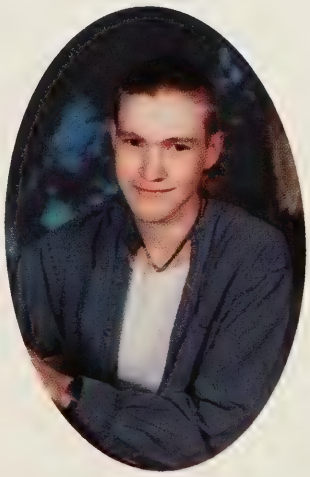
Shanelle Mullins

Tiffany Mullins

Hollie Naylin



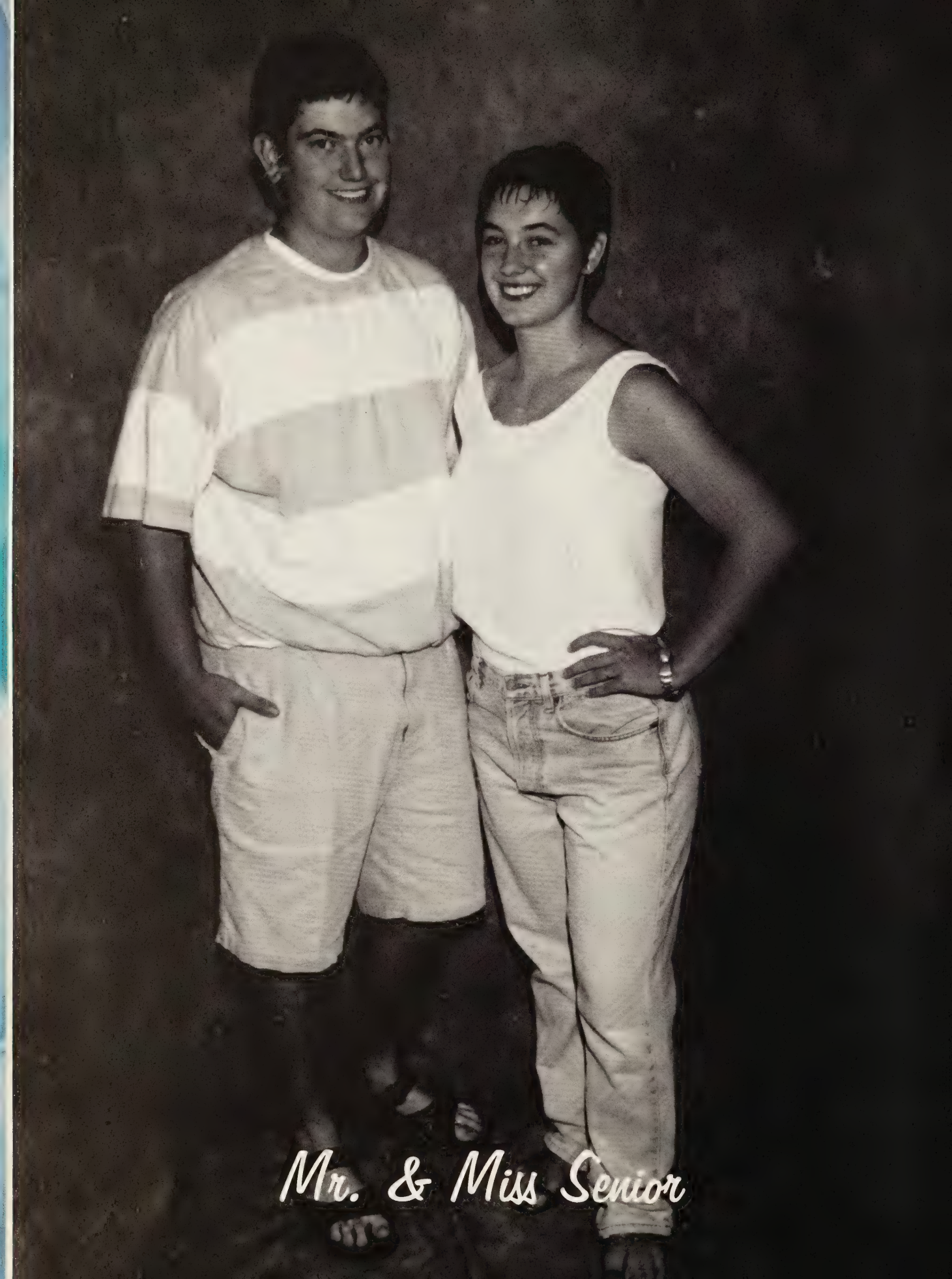
Tim O'Quinn



Jason O'Quinn

Tim O'quinn

#80



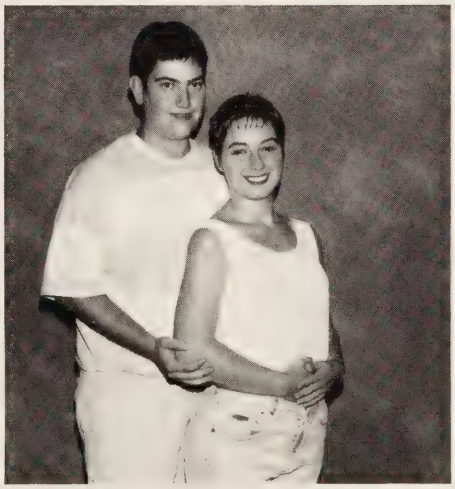
Mr. & Miss Senior

Matthew Puckett & Kelly Riley

Class of 1999

Matthew Puckett is the son of Warren and Debbie Puckett. He is the Vice-President of the Senior Class. He is also a member of The Beta Club, Key Club, FBLA, Team Odyssey, and the Academic Bowl Team. He has been selected to Who's Who Among American High School Students 2 times and is Business Manager of the 1999 Thunderbolt. He is a member of the Golf and Baseball Teams. His future plans are to attend college, major in political history and become a criminal defense attorney.

Kelly Riley is the daughter of Kennith and Vonda Riley. She is Key Club Lieutenant Governor, Beta Club Vice President, 4-H President, a member of SADD, YAC, Team Odyssey, and the student representative of the Disciplinary Committee. She has been selected to Who's Who Among American High School Students for 2 years and is Co-editor of the 1999 Thunderbolt. Kelly participates in volleyball, tennis and is the school mascot. Her future plans are to attend college, major in marine biology and minor in photography.



LOOKING FORWARD

Cynthia Owens

Derek Owens

Eric Owens #54

Franklin Calvin Owens

Shanna Owens

Clay Powers

Matthew Powers

Sharonda Pawitzky

Matthew Rachel

Kyle Ramey

Sara Ramey

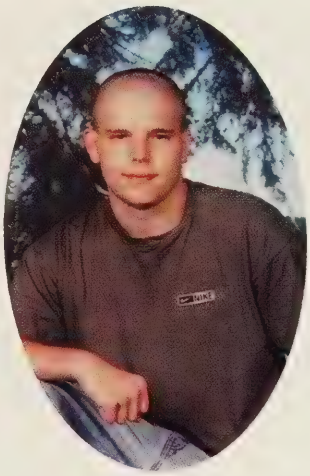
TO LOOKING BACK

David Rasnake

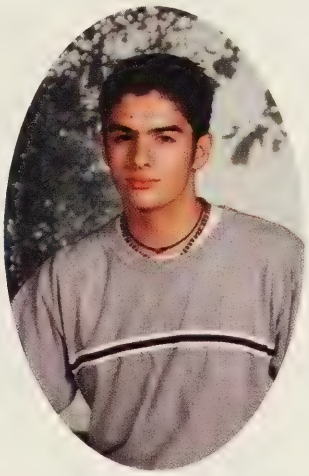
Kelly Riley

John Selz

Priscilla Stanley



Jake Satterlund



Wade Sutherland

Kenada Beverlee Sweeney

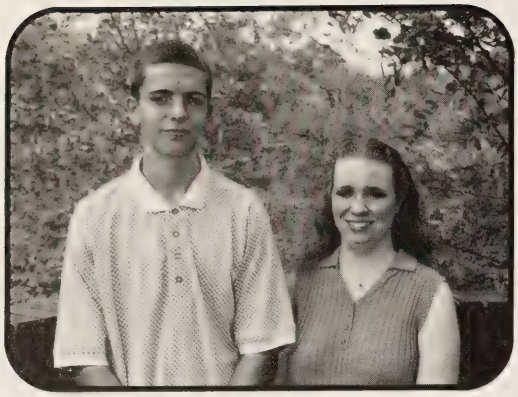
Jessica Taylor

Gaylup R. Turner

Micky Turner

Nathaniel Turner

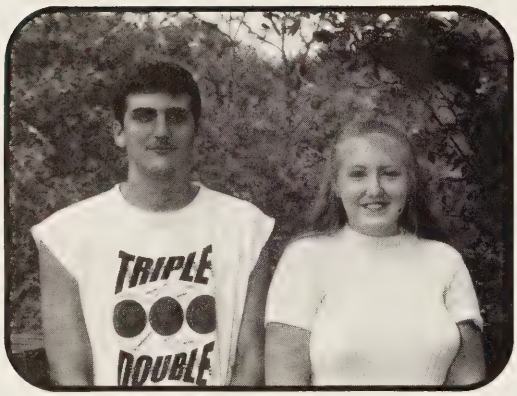
Senior



Tim and Roma

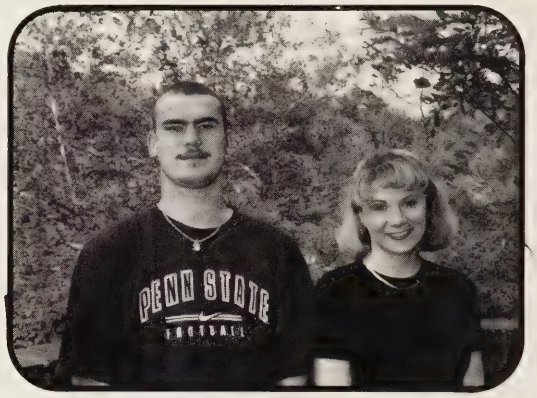
Matt C. and Gaylup

Spring

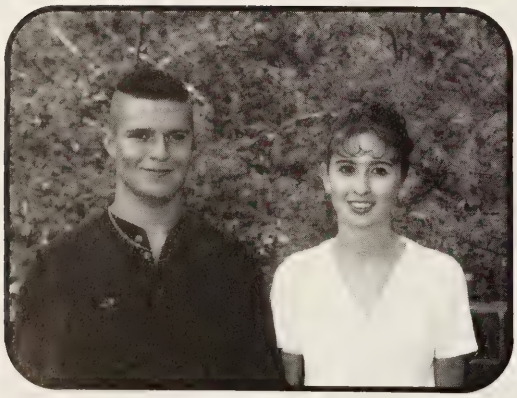


Sam and Lavada

Summer



John and Priscilla



Nat and Cynthia

Jason and Amanda H.

Couples

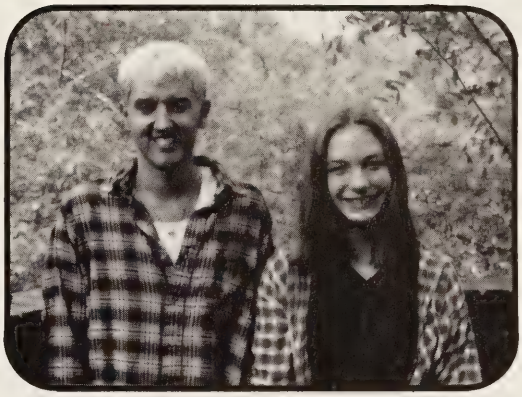
Calendar

Craig and Dawn

Wade and Kelly

Fall

Matt P. and Amanda



Clay and Danielle

Winter

Jared and Ashley

Ian and Danyelle

1999

Amanda Viers

Patrick Viers

Doug Wampler

Matthew Williams

Brandon Willis

Dwayne Wood #30

Amanda Yates

ENDING

The

Millennium

...1999

WAKE FOREST
WF

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BEST OF CLASS

Derek & Birgit

Sexiest

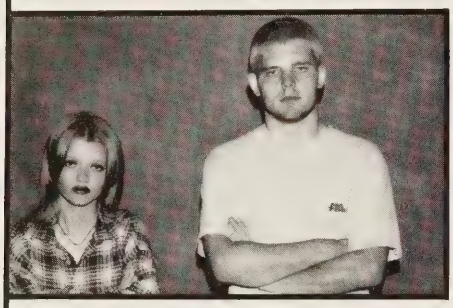
Tiffany & Shane

Best Eyes

Clay & Ashley

Smile

Shanna & Luke



Mr. & Miss Attitude

Amanda & Kory

Showoffs

Lee & Danielle

Friendliest

Alfred & Cynthia

Unforgettable

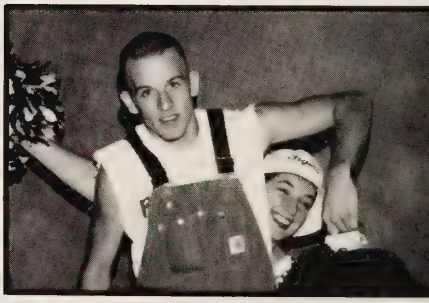
Gaylup & Wade

Best Dressed

Jason & Priscilla

Best All Around

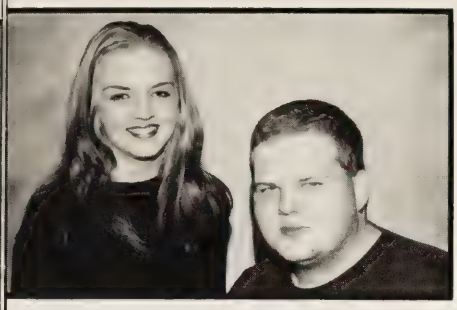
Jesse & Kelly



Most School Spirited

MOST LIKELY TO BE

Shanelle & Matt

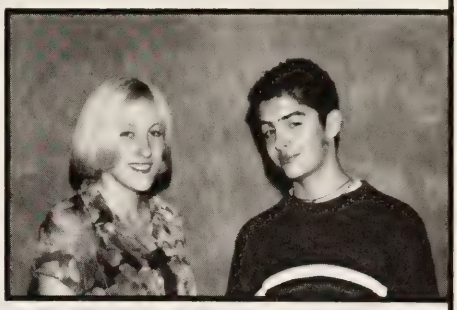


Artist

Jared & Jessica

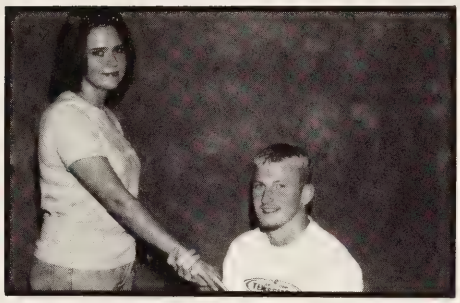
Topic of a Talk Show

Amanda & Wade



Rich

Ashley & Kory



Married Ten Times

Sharonda & Alfred

Single

Jeff & Kelly

President

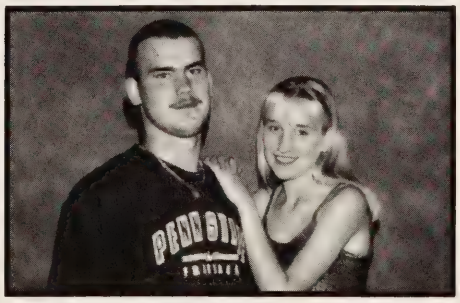
Chris & Dawn

Presidential Intern

Clay & Birgit

Model

John & Amanda



Living at Home

Priscilla & Lee

Pro Wrestler

1999

Sarah Lester is the daughter of Junior and Debi Lester. Her goal is to move away from Haysi, go to college, and get a degree in Psychology. Her fav. song is "Going to California", by Led Zeppelin, and her fav. movie is "The City of Angels". Sarah's Pet Peeve is Stupid People!

Brandon Willis is the son of Jamie and Betty Willis. His goal is to go to college, get a good job, and make Lots of money! His fav. song is "Mo Money, Mo Problems", by Notorious B.I.G., and his fav. movie is Armageddon. Brandon's Pet Peeve is people that tell lies just to make themselves look good!

Matt Puckett is the son of Warren and Debbie Puckett. His Goal is to graduate and go to law school. His fav. song is "Murder was the Case", by Snoop Doggy Dogg and his fav. movie is "8 Seconds". Matt's Pet Peeve is People who don't like The Rock and people who don't know their role!

Alfred Mullins (A.K.A. Bear) is the son of Scottie and Loretta Mullins. His Senior Ambition is to graduate high school. His fav. song is "Stone Walls and Steel Bars", by ?????????

Tim O'Quinn is the son of Keith and Sue O'Quinn. His goal is to go to a four year college and become a teacher. His fav. song is "Don't Wanna Miss a Thing", by Aerosmith, and his fav. movie is Armaggedon. Tim's Pet Peeve is people who Pretend their someone that they are not.

Matthew Williams (A.K.A Mud) is the son of Richard and Mary Williams. His goal is to leave Haysi A.S.A.P. and find a good paying job. His fav. song is "Blue on Black", by Kenny Wayne Shepard, and his fav. movie is The Last Boy scout. Matt's Pet Peeve is people who don't take things seriously.

David Deel (A.K.A. Dave) is the son of Tony and Lorie Deel. His fav. song is "Thunderstruck", by AC/DC. Dave's Pet Peeve is Haysi High School!

John Bowen (A.K.A. Big John) is the son of Homer and Dana Bowen. His goal is to just make a living! His fav. song is "How Mountain Girls Can Love", by ??????. John's Pet Peeve is rap music

Danyelle Mullins is the daughter of Danny and Jennifer Mullins. Her goal to marry Curtis, and become a famous author. Her fav. song is "Iris", by the Goo-Goo Dolls, and her fav. movie is Mary Reighly. Danyelle's Pet Peeve is People who act way too immature!

Clarissa Lauar Guedes is the daughter of James and Betty Willis. Her goal is to go to the University of Medicine and make a lot of money. Her fav. song is "Belmir", by Tic Tac and her fav. movie is "The City of Angels". Clarissa's Pet Peeve is People who think they are better than everyone else!

Wesley Conaway is the son of Harold and Juanita Conaway. His Senior Ambition is to pass all of his classes! His fav. song is "Pink", by Aerosmith. Wesley's Pet Peeve is girls with smart attitudes!

Ashley Lynn Hill (A.K.A. Ashy) is the daughter of The Boyds, The Bowmans, and The Sykes. Her goal is to attend college, get married, and live happily ever after. Her fav. song is "I Don't Wanna Miss A Thing", by Aerosmith. Ashley's Pet Peeve is People who think they are better than everyone else!

Craig Deel is the son of James and Mary A. Deel. His goal is to get a good education. His favorite song is "Amazing Grace". Craig's Pet Peeve is People that talk a lot!

Derek Owens (A.K.A. Gumby) is the son of Duff and Debbie Owens. His goal is to grow old and have a big ranch and a good hound dog. His fav. song is "Blue Mountain Memories", by Larry Sparks.

Bryan Hill is the son of Fon and Lois Hill. His goal is to go to college and become rich. His fav. song is "Thank You", by Alanis Morisette, and his fav. movie is Bride of Chucky. Bryan's Pet Peeve is people who chew their gum really fast.

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Seniors

Cynthia Owens, is the daughter of the late Don Owens and Kay Owens. Her senior ambition is to become a veterinarian. Her fav. song is "I'll Be" by Edwin McCain and her fav. movie is The Princess Bride. Her pet peeve is people.

Sam Deel (AKA Skrillaaa), is the son of Cleamis and Patsy Deel. His goal is to graduate college, become a dentist, and push to make Greenbrier a town. His fav. song is "Bout it Bout it" By Master P and his fav. movie is Boogie Nights. His Pet Peeve is fat babies with over-large butt cracks.

Amanda Leigh Viers, is the daughter of Kelly and Yvonne Viers. Her senior ambition is to get out of her, to go to college and marry Randy. Her fav. song is "Sweet Home Alabama" by Lynard Skynard and her fav. movie is Mad Love. Her Pet Peeve is people who think they are better and are stuck up.

Jessica Lynn Bowman, (AKA Cheesy B) is the daughter of Janie Beller. Her senior ambition is to be a nurse. Her fav. song is "Hell's Bells" by AC/DC and her fav. movie is The Birde of Chucky. Her pet peeve is preps.

Matthew Counts (A.K.A. AAATT) is the son of Steve and Sheila Counts. His goal is to be rich and own a mansion, yacht, and a Porsche. His fav. song is "Dixieland Delight" by Alabama, and fav. movie is "The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly". Matt's pet peeve is Teachers who go back on their word.

Tiffany Mullins, is the daughter of Daniel Mullins. Her fav. song is "Free Bird" by Lynyrd Skynyrd. Her pet peeve is stupid people.

Danielle Mullins is the daughter of Victor and Susan Mullins. Her goal is to go to college and become a veterinarian, own as many horses as possible. Her fav. song is "I'll Be" by Edwin McCain, fav. movie is "City of Angels". Danielle's pet peeve is power hungry people and wrestling!

Shanna Owens (A.K.A. Miss World) is the daughter of Bruce Owens and Janice Justice. Her goal is to graduate high school, get married to a Mafia man, and move to New Mexico or New Jersey. Her fav. song is "Red Light Special" by TLC, and fav. movie is "Young Guns 1 & 2". Shanna's pet peeve is preps!

John Salyers is the son of Tim and Becky Salyers. His Senior ambition is to graduate! His fav. song is "I Will Stand", by ???????, and his fav. movie is Tombstone. John's Pet Peeve is getting up early and coming to school!

Jessee Childress (A.K.A. Jess) is the son of Harold and Cathy Childress. His goal is to go to college far a long time, be rich, and be a country music star. His fav. songs "Too Close" and "Man of Constant Sorrow" Ralph Stanley fav. movie is "Cheech and Chong". Jessee's pet peeve is stuck ups.

Chris O'Quinn is the son of Belva O'Quinn and the late Amanuel O'Quinn. His goal is to get his Masters in Music, have a career in music, and to win a DCI Championship w/ the Santa Clara Vanguard. His fav. song is "Satelite" by Dave Matthews Band, and his fav. movie is Interview With the Vampire.

Roma Renee Suzanne Edward (A.K.A. Omar) is the Daughter of Sue and Norman Sperow. Her goal is to have a successful career in Law Enforcement. Her fav. song is "If Tomorrow Never Comes", by Garth Brooks, and her fav. movie is Titanic. Roma's Pet Peeve is people who think they are better than others.

Patrick Viers is the son of Lonnie and Becky Viers. His Senior Ambition is to graduate from high school! His fav. song is "Good Ole Mountain Dew", Ralph Stanley, and his fav. movie is Dazed and Confused. Patrick's Pet Peeve is people who stare!

Ian Fleming is the son of Donna Owens. His goal is to graduate, go to college, and become a Psychologist. His fav. song is "Bron-Y-Aur Stomp", by Led Zepplin, and his fav. movie is City of Angels. Ian's Pet Peeve is people who are happy in the mornings!

Daniel Edwards is the son of Danie and Cheryl Edwards. His goal is to practice Physical Therapy. His fav. song is "November Rain", by Guns n' Roses, and his fav. movie is Braveheart. Daniel's Pet Peeve is Smart alecks!

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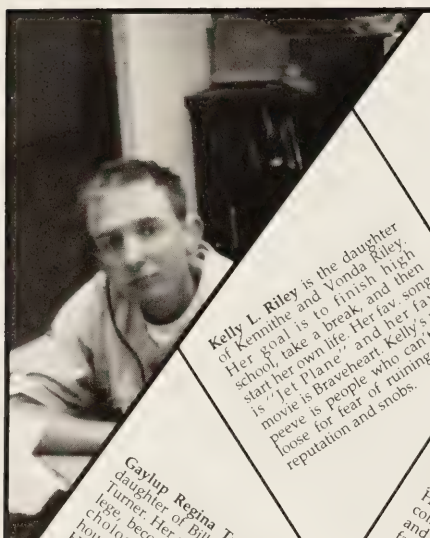


Kelly L. Riley is the daughter of Kennithe and Vonda Riley. Her goal is to finish high school, take a break, and then start her own life. Her fav. song is "Jet Plane" and her fav. movie is Braveheart. Kelly's pet peeve is people who can't cut loose for fear of ruining their reputation and snobs.

Clay Powers (A.K.A. Dad) is the son of Wayne Powers and Angie Porter. His goal is to get married and have a bunch of youngens. His fav. Song is "I've Gotta Mule to Ride". Clay's pet peeve is ball hogs!

Gaylup Regina Turner is the daughter of Billy and Virginia Turner. Her goal is to go to college, become a rich child psychologist, and live in a big house with her "Real Love". Her fav. Song is "Inside Out" by Eve 6, and her fav. movie is Something About Mary. Gaylup's pep peeve is rude people.

Nathaniel Turner is the son of Johnny and Melissa Turner. His Senior Ambition is to go to college, become an Engineer, and make lots of money. His fav. Movie is Armageddon. His pet peeve is people who are lazy.

Thomas Wade Sutherland is the son of Fonso and Clara Sutherland. His goal is to move away, grad. law school, get married, live in a subdivision, own a BMW. His fav. Song is "Gordon's Gardenparty" by the Cardigans and his fav. Movie is Willy Wonka's Chocolate Factory. Wade's pet peeve hypocrites!

James Colley is the son of Mildred and Donald Colley. His goal is to graduate. His favorite song is "Sweet hour of prayer", and his favorite movie is Chucky's Bride. James's pet peeve is women who think they know it all.

Priscilla Stanley is the daughter of Louinia and Richard Mullins and Danny Stanley. Her Senior Ambition and have two kids, get married and have two kids. Her fav. Song is "Then What" by Clay Walker. Her fav. Movie is Urban Legend. Her pet peeve is people who chew food with their mouth open.

Amanda Dawn Hogston is the daughter of Karl and Shirley Hogston. Her Senior Ambition is to become a lawyer, have kids, and be happy. Her fav. Song is "All My Life" by K-Ci and JoJo. Her fav. Movie is Gone with the Wind. Her pet peeve is People who are not neat, sensible, and organized.

Lavada Beverlee Sweeney is the daughter of Arthur and Melster Sweeney. Her goal is to become a journalist and work for the New York Times. Her fav. songs are "Yesterday" by the Beatles and "Dream a Little Dream" by Mama Kass. Her fav. Movie is "Robin Hood". Vada's Pet Peeve is crowd followers!

Nat Comer (A.K.A. Gnat) is the son of Donna and Chris Comer. His goal is to have his own masonry company. His fav. song is "Dixieland Delight" by Alabama and his fav. movie is Con Air. Nat's pet peeve is people who are stuck up and try to be what they aren't.

Jared Genco (A.K.A. Ganko) is the son of Tamara Genco and Brian Genco. His Senior Ambition is to be a marine. His fav. Song is "Hybrid Moments" by Misfits. His fav. Movie is Good, The Bad, and the ugly. His pet peeve is people who hurry up to pull out in front of you, then they drive slowly.

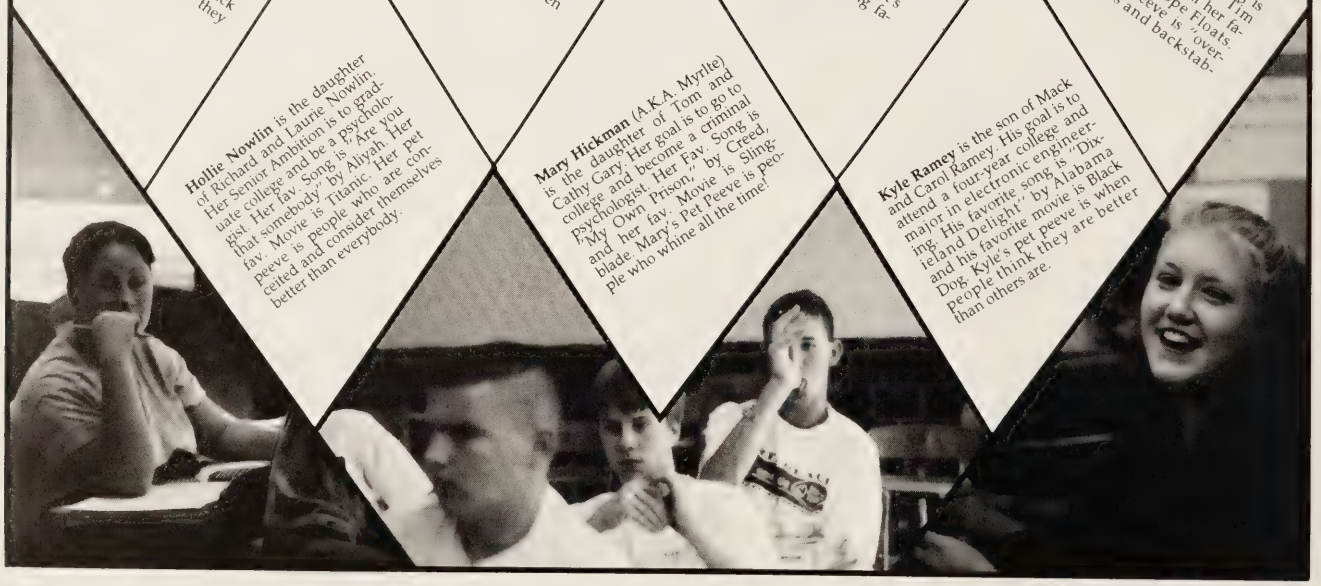
Matt Powers is the son of David and Phyllis Powers. His goal is to be a Website designer and help make the world a better place. His fav. Song is "Stayin' Alive" by the Bee Gees, and his fav. Movies are the Star Wars Trilogy. Matt's Pet Peeve is Pro Wrestling fanaticism.

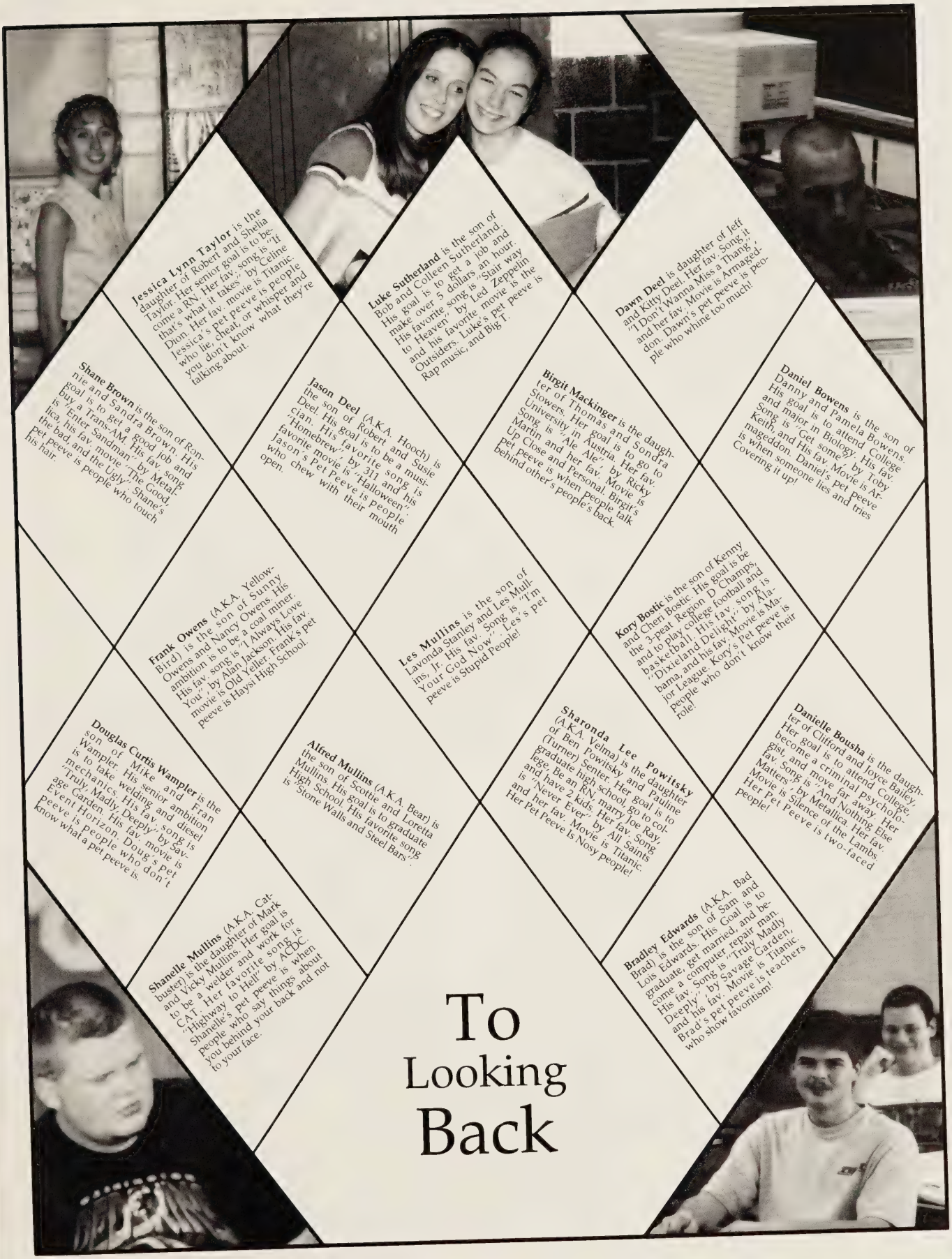
Amanda Ann Deel (A.K.A. Lil' Larry) is the daughter of Kent and Katie Deel. Her goal is to marry Larry and live happily ever after. Her favorite song is "It's your love" by Tim McGraw and Faith Hill. her favorite movie is Hope Floats. Amanda's pet peeve is "overgrown babies and backstabbers."

Hollie Nowlin is the daughter of Richard and Laurie Nowlin. Her Senior Ambition is to graduate college and be a psychologist. Her fav. Song is "Are you that somebody" by Aliyah. Her fav. Movie is Titanic. Her pet peeve is people who are conceited and consider themselves better than everybody.

Mary Hickman (A.K.A. Myrlte) is the daughter of Tom and Cathy Gary. Her goal is to go to college and become a criminal psychologist. Her fav. Song is "My Own Prison," by Creed, and her fav. Movie is Sling blade. Mary's Pet Peeve is people who whine all the time!

Kyle Ramey is the son of Mack and Carol Ramey. His goal is to attend a four-year college and major in electronic engineering. His favorite song is "Dixieland Delight" by Alabama and his favorite movie is Black Dog. Kyle's pet peeve is when people think they are better than others are.





Jessica Lynn Taylor is the daughter of Robert and Shela Taylor. Her senior goal is to become a RN. Her fav. song is "It that's what it takes", by Celine Dion. Her fav. movie is Titanic. Jessica's pet peeve is people who lie, cheat, or whisper and you don't know what they're talking about.

Luke Sutherland is the son of Bob and Colleen Sutherland. His goal is to get a job and make over 5 dollars an hour. His favorite song is "Stair way to Heaven", by Led Zeppelin and his favorite movie is the Outsiders. Luke's pet peeve is Rap music, and Big T.

Dawn Deel is daughter of Jeff and Kitty Deel. Her fav. Song is "I Don't Wanna Miss a Thang", and her fav. Movie is Armageddon. Dawn's pet peeve is people who whine too much!

Shane Brown is the son of Ronnie and Sandra Brown. His goal is to get a good job and buy a Trans-AM. His fav. song is "Enter Sandman", by Metallica, his fav. movie "The Good, the bad, and the Ugly". Shane's pet peeve is people who touch his hair.

Jason Deel (A.K.A. Hooch) is the son of Robert and Susie Deel. His goal is to be a musician. His favorite song is "Homebrew", by 311 and his favorite movie is "Halloween". Jason's Pet Peeve is people who chew with their mouth open.

Birgit Mackinger is the daughter of Thomas and Sondra Stowers. Her goal is to go to University in Austria. Her fav. Song is "Ale Ale", by Ricky Martin and her fav. Movie is Up Close and Personal. Birgit's pet peeve is when people talk behind other's people's back.

Daniel Bowens is the son of Danny and Pamela Bowens. His goal is to attend College and major in Biology. His fav. Song is "Get some", by Toby Keith, and His fav. Movie is Armageddon. Daniel's pet peeve is when someone lies and tries Covering it up!

Frank Owens (A.K.A. Yellow-Bird) is the son of Sunny Owens and Nancy Owens. His ambition is to be a coal miner. His fav. song is "I Always Love You", by Alan Jackson. His fav. movie is Old Yeller. Frank's pet peeve is Hayst High School.

Les Mullins is the son of Lavonda Stanley and Les Mullins, Jr. His fav. Song is "I'm Your God Now". Les's pet peeve is Stupid People!

Kory Bostic is the son of Kenny and Cheri Bostic. His goal is be the 3-peat Region D Champs, and to play college football and basketball. His fav. song is "Dixieland Delight", by Alabama, and his fav. Movie is Major League. Kory's Pet peeve is people who don't know their role!

Douglas Curtis Wampler is the son of Mike and Fran Wampler. His senior ambition is to take welding and diesel mechanics. His fav. song is "Truly, Madly, Deeply", by Savage Garden. His fav. movie is Event Horizon. Doug's pet peeve is people who don't know what a pet peeve is.

Alfred Mullins (A.K.A. Bear) is the son of Scottie and Loretta Mullins. His goal is to graduate High School. His favorite song is "Stone Walls and Steel Bars".

Sharonda Lee Powitsky (A.K.A. Velma) is the daughter of Ben Powitsky and Pauline (Turner) Senter. Her goal is to graduate high school, go to college, Be an RN, marry Joe Ray, and have 2 kids. Her fav. Song is "Never Ever", by All Saints and her fav. Movie is Titanic. Her Pet Peeve Is Nosy people!

Danielle Bousha is the daughter of Clifford and Joyce Bailey. Her goal is to attend College, become a criminal psychologist, and move far away. Her fav. Song is "And Nothing Else Matters", by Metallica. Her fav. Movie is Silence of the Lambs. Her Pet Peeve is two-faced people!

Shanelle Mullins (A.K.A. Catbuster) is the daughter of Mark and Vicky Mullins. Her goal is to be a welder and work for CAT. Her favorite song is "Highway to Hell", by ACDC. Shanelle's pet peeve is when people who say things about you behind your back and not to your face.

Bradley Edwards (A.K.A. Bad Brad) is the son of Sam and Lois Edwards. His Goal is to graduate, get married, and become a computer repair man. His fav. Song is "Truly Madly Deeply", by Savage Garden, and his fav. Movie is Titanic. Brad's pet peeve is teachers who show favoritism!

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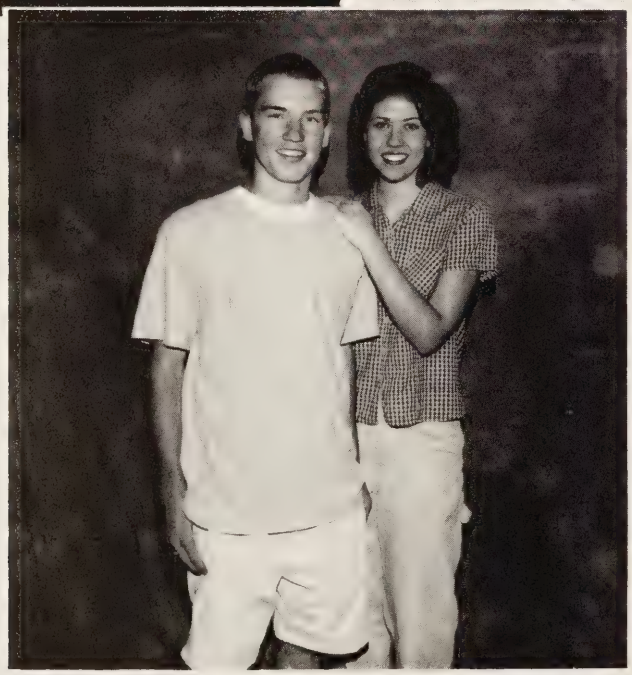

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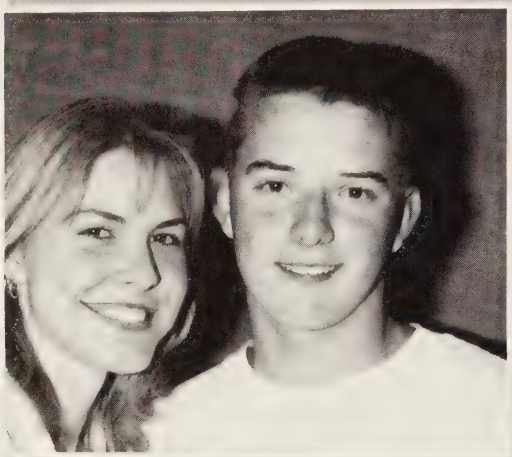

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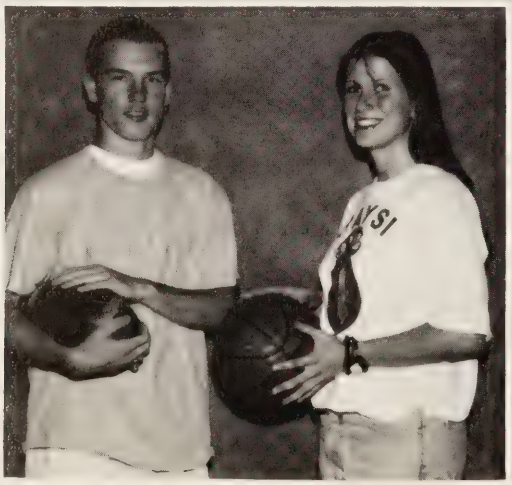

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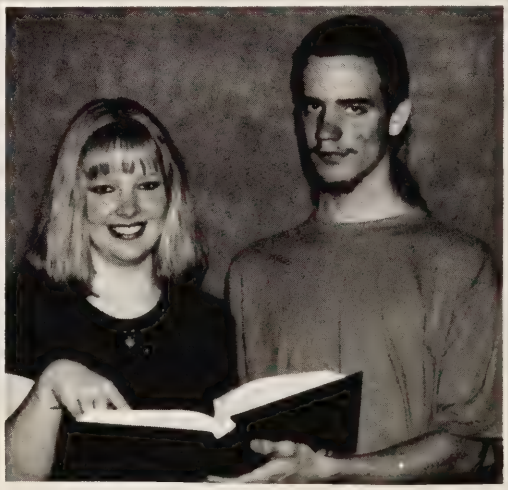

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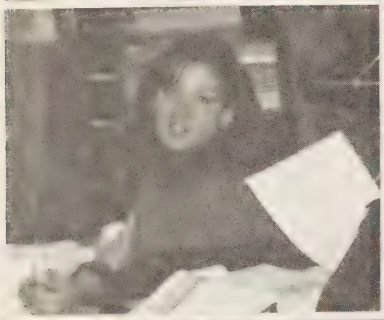

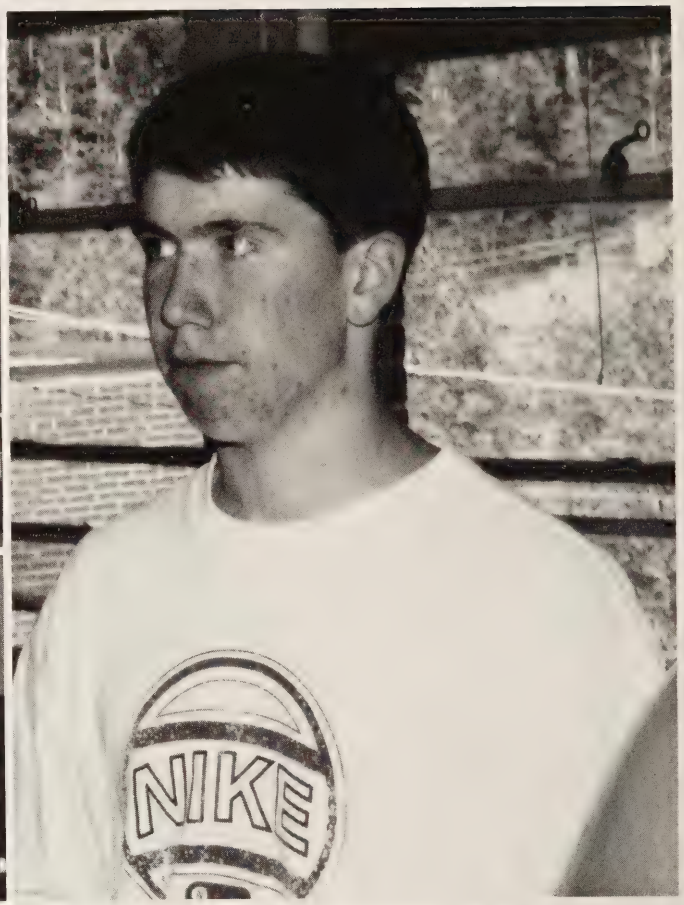

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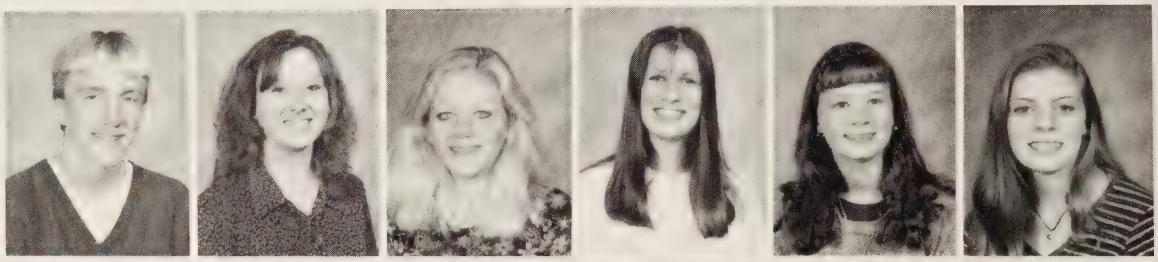

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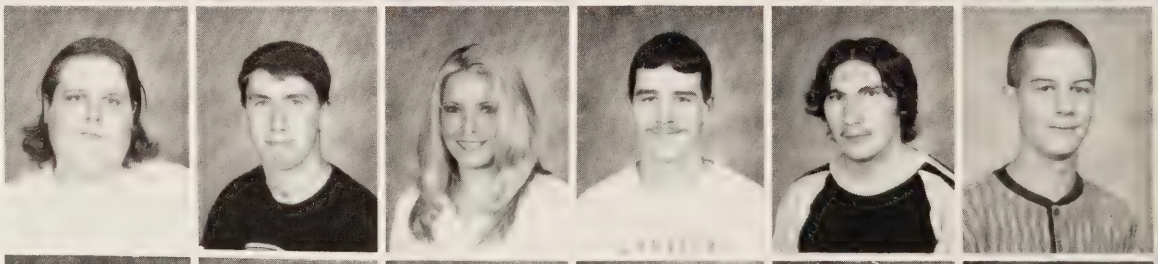

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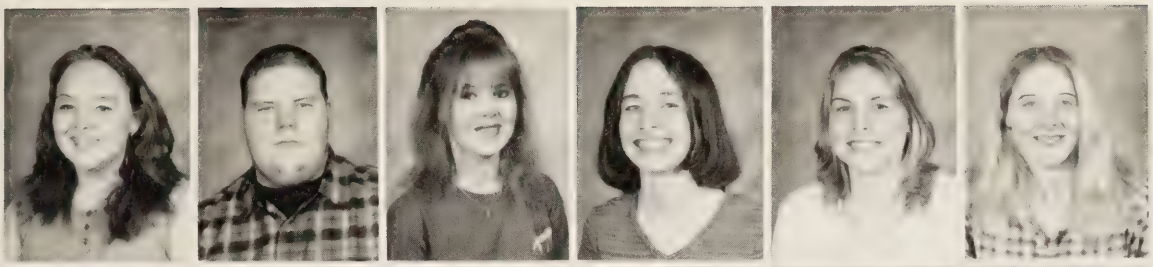

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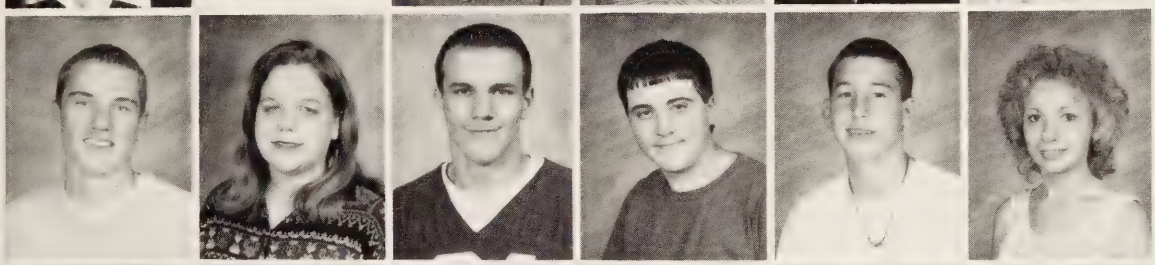

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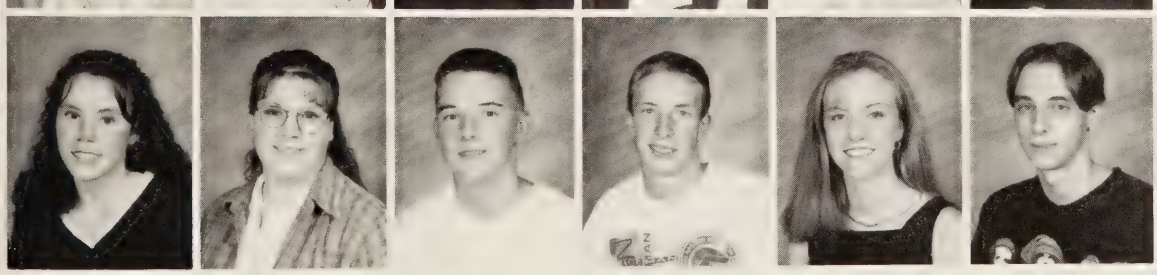

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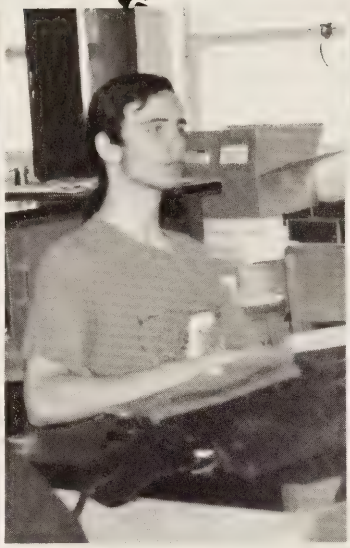

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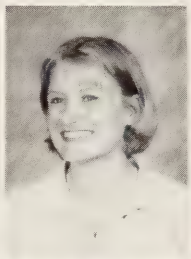

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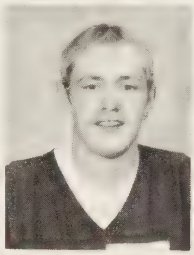
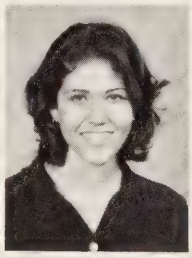

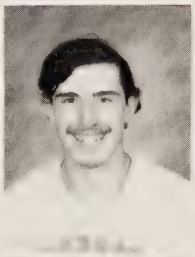

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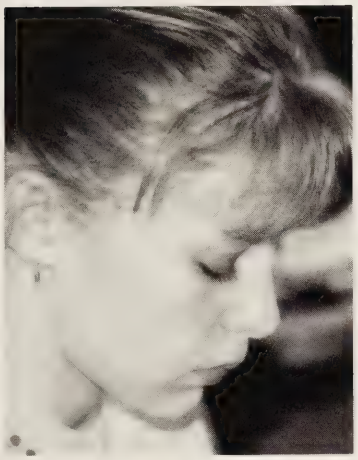

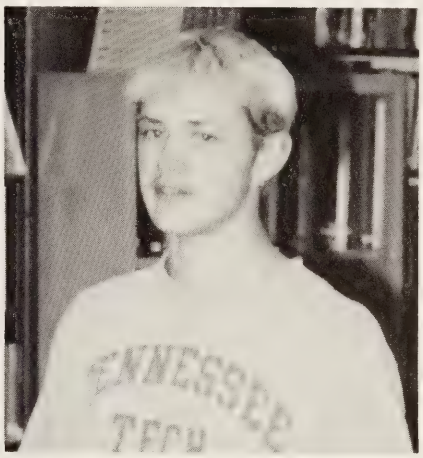

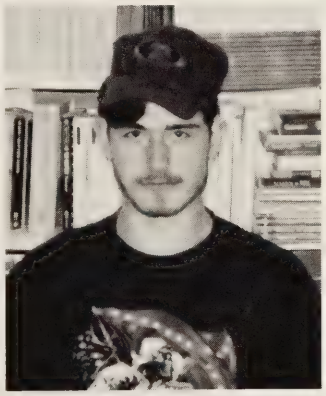

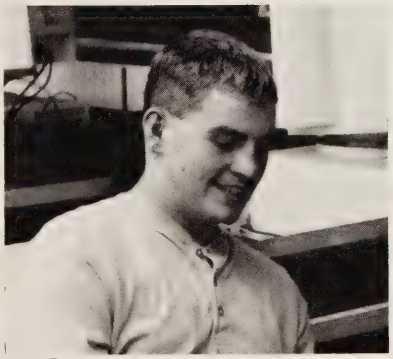

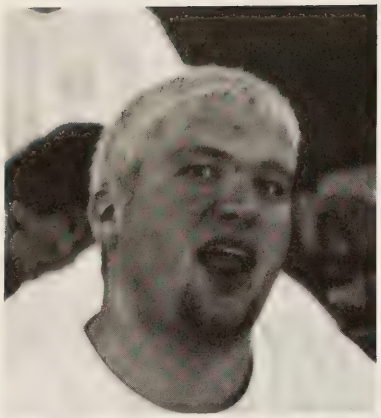

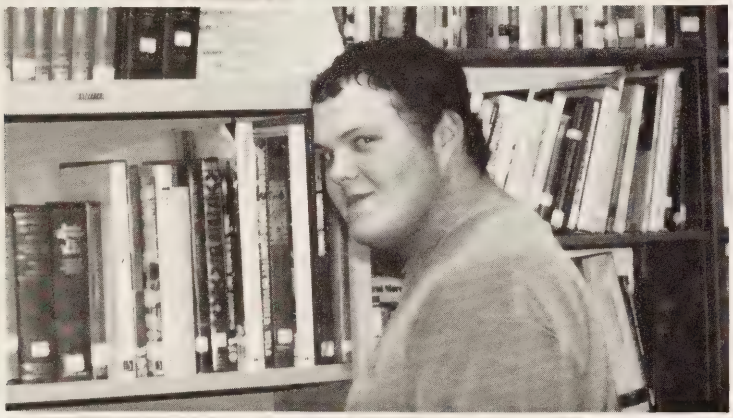

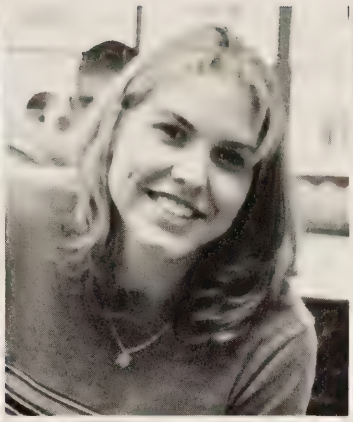
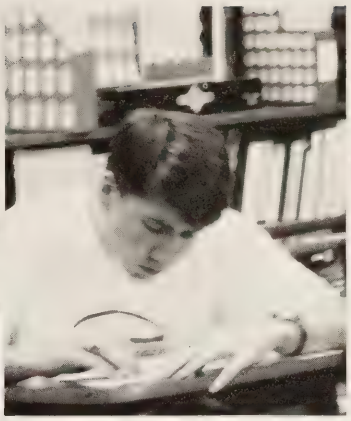

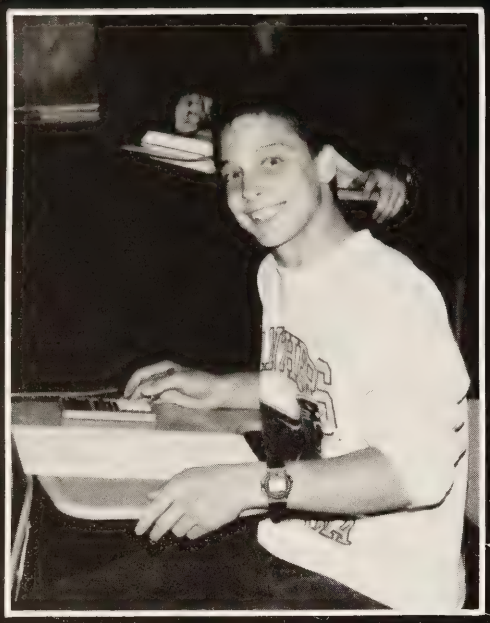

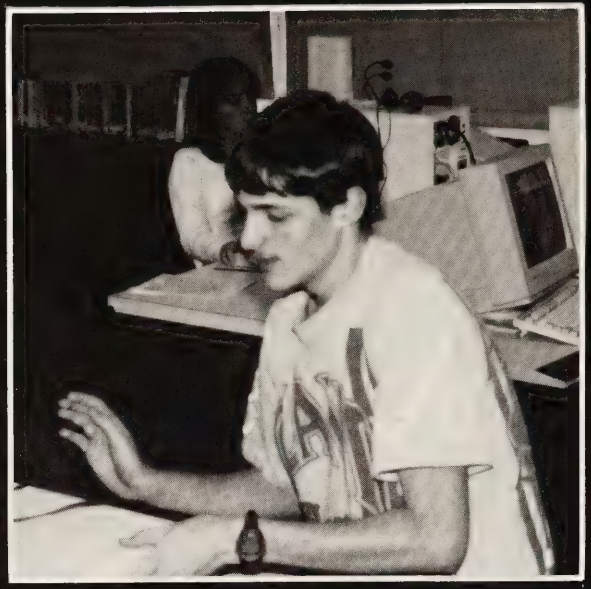

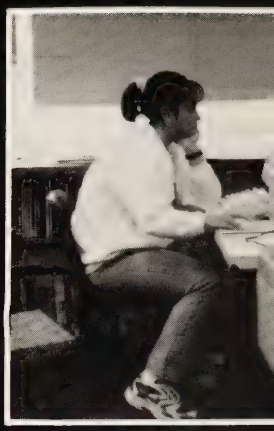

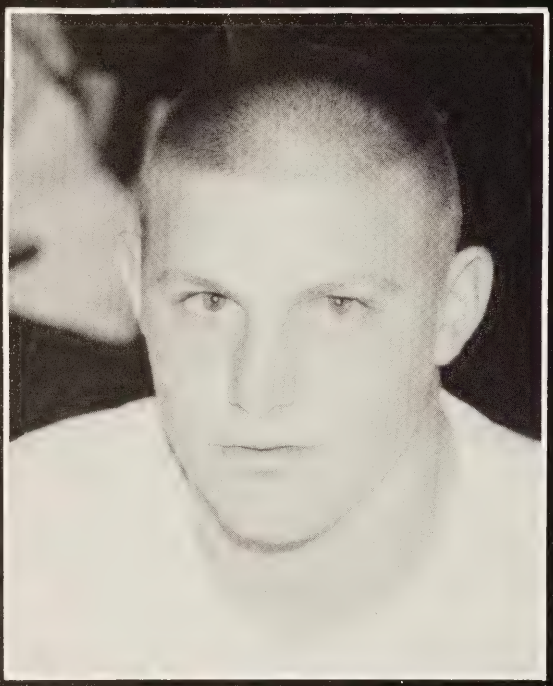

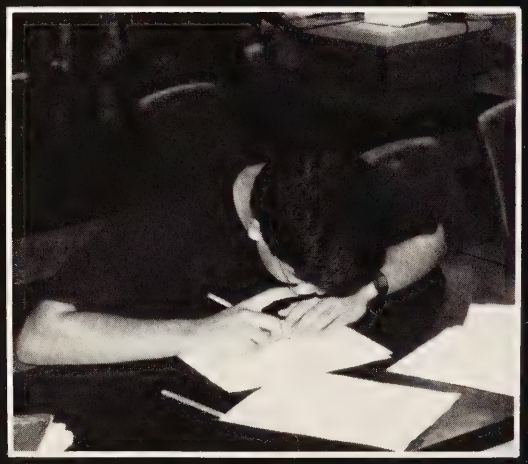

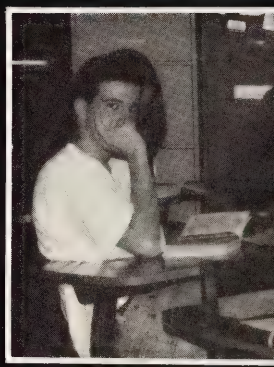

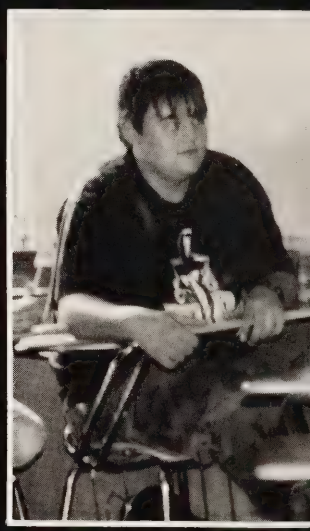

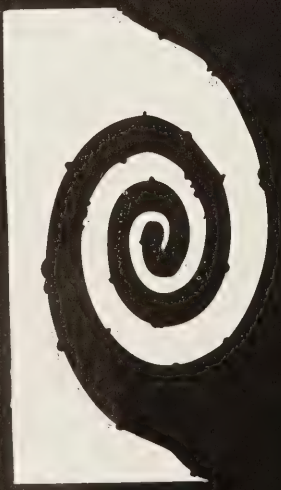

LOOKING FORWARD

class of 2001

TO LOOKING BACK

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ANGELA BRANHAM
AMANDA CHARLES

JARROD CHURCH
JESSICA CONAWAY
MARSHA CONAWAY
SCARLETT COUNTS
JOETTA DEEL

RACHEL DEEL
SARAH DEEL
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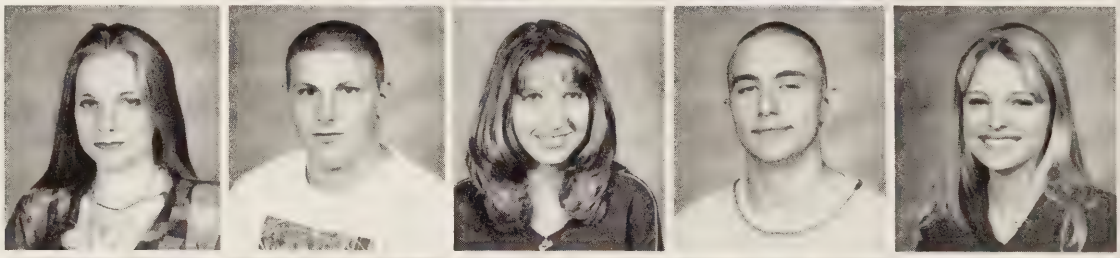

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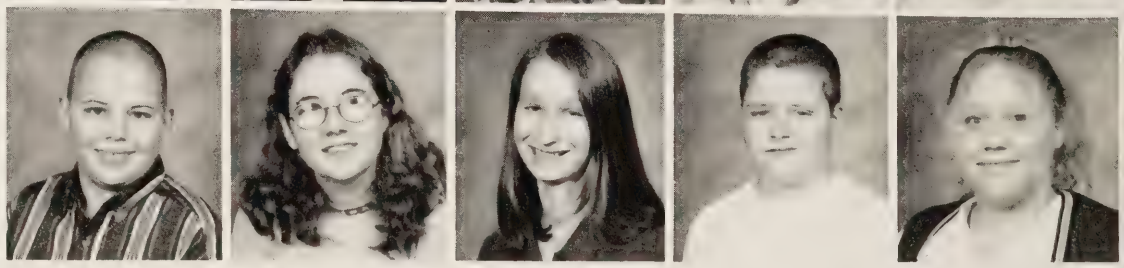

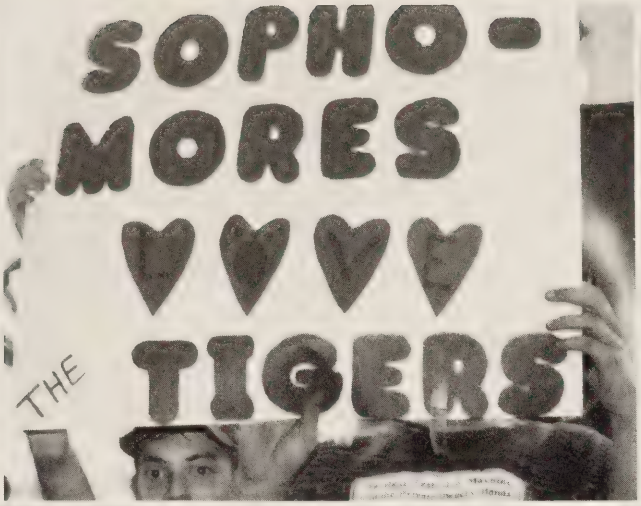

Sophomores show their spirit during Spirit Week.

Sophomores Speak

IN A SURVEY SOPHOMORES WERE ASKED IF THEY COULD CHANGE ONE THING ABOUT SCHOOL WHAT WOULD IT BE, HERE ARE SOME RESPONSES:

BREAKS:

MORE TIME BETWEEN CLASSES
15 MINUTE BREAK EVERYDAY
STUDY HALL

SPORTS:

OFFER MORE SPORTS
MORE PEP RALLIES
HOMECOMING PARADE

APPEARANCE:

PAINT THE WALLS
NEW DESKS
MORE PARKING SPACES FOR WHEN WE CAN DRIVE

SCHEDULE:

NO BLOCK SCHEDULE
SMALLER CLASS SIZE
MORE ACTIVITIES IN THE CLASSROOM

BRADLEY OWENS
CARNITA OWENS
NANCY OWENS
MATTHEW PERRIGAN
CARRIE PICKNEY

MATTHEW PRATER
CASSANDRA PRESLEY
FRANKIE PRESLEY
JOSHUA RAINES
JOHNATHAN ROSE

KERRI ROWLETT
WESLEY SALYERS
ADAM SHARP
CRECEY SHORTRIDGE
JESSICA SULLIVAN

D.D. THACKER
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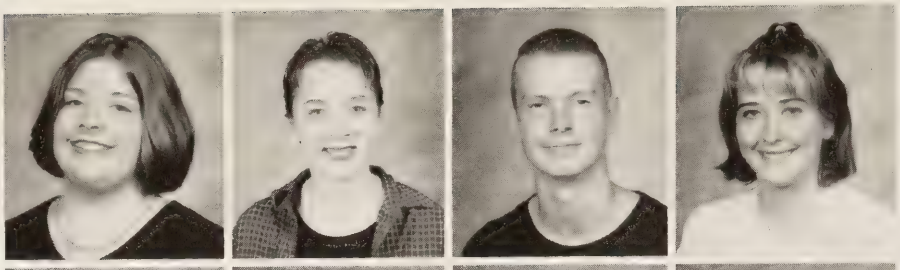

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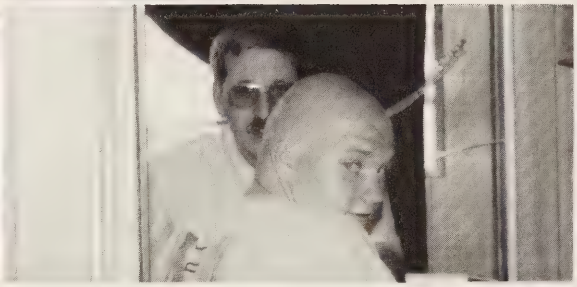


Sophomores Favorite Quotes

"A WOMAN IS LIKE A TEA BAG, YOU DON'T KNOW HER STRENGTH UNTIL YOU DROP HER IN BOILING WATER." Dusti Turner

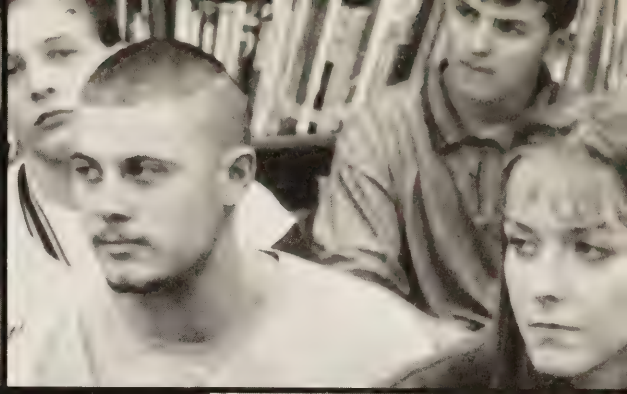
"DREAMS DO COME, AND TO FULFILL YOUR DREAMS YOU HAVE TO BE A DREAMER." Jamine Mullins

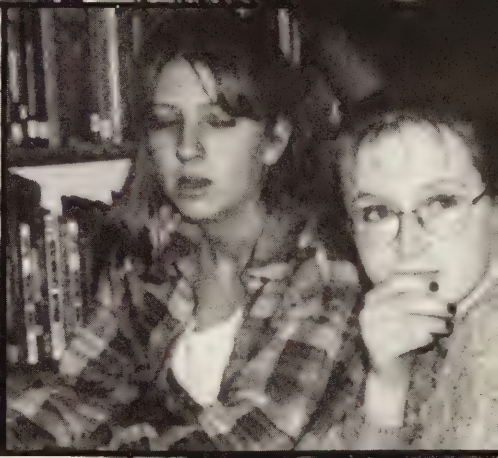
"THINKING IS THE HARDEST WORK THERE IS, WHICH IS WHY SO FEW ENGAGE IN IT." Matthew Childress

"LIFE IS A LESSON, BE PREPARED TO LEARN." Crecey Shortridge

"IF YOU LIKE OR WANT SOMETHING YOU SHOULD GO FOR IT." Sarah Deel

"IF YOU HAVE A GOAL, AND YOU ARE DETERMINED, YOU WILL ACCOMPLISH THAT GOAL." Valerie Deel





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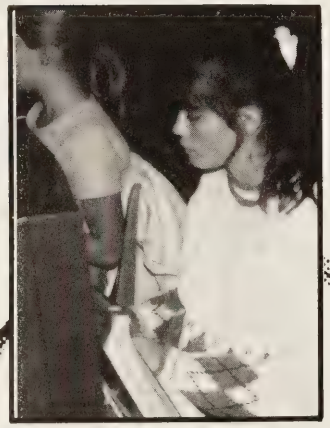

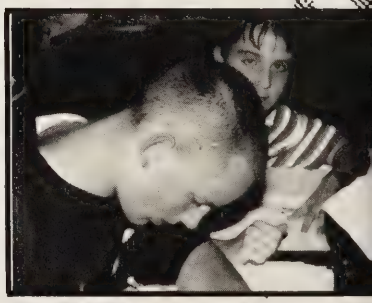

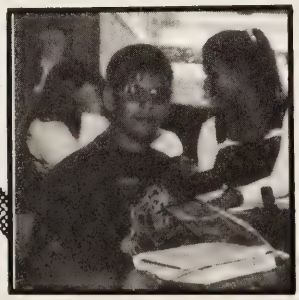

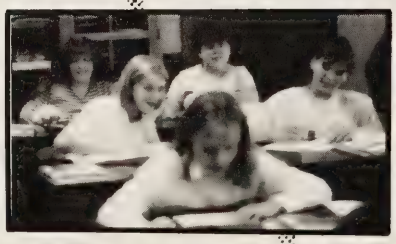

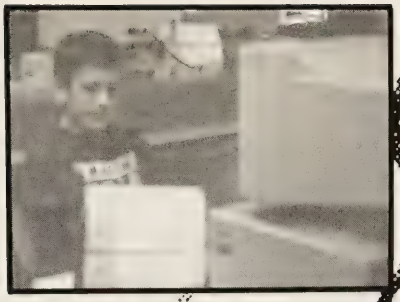

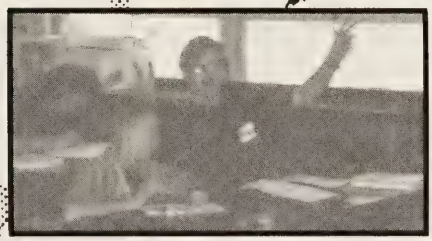

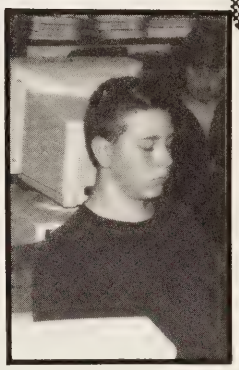

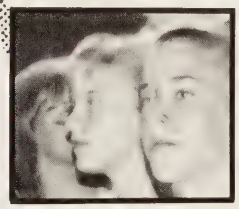

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Looking Forward

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JENNIFER BAILEY
COLBY BALL
NEVADA BRANHAM
JOHNATHAN BROOKS

CRAIG CHILDRESS
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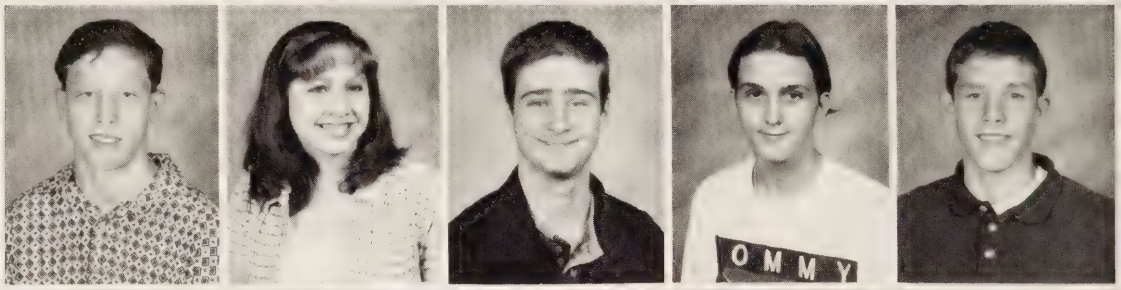
JONATHAN CLIFTON
ALLEN COLEMAN
ROBBIE COLLEY



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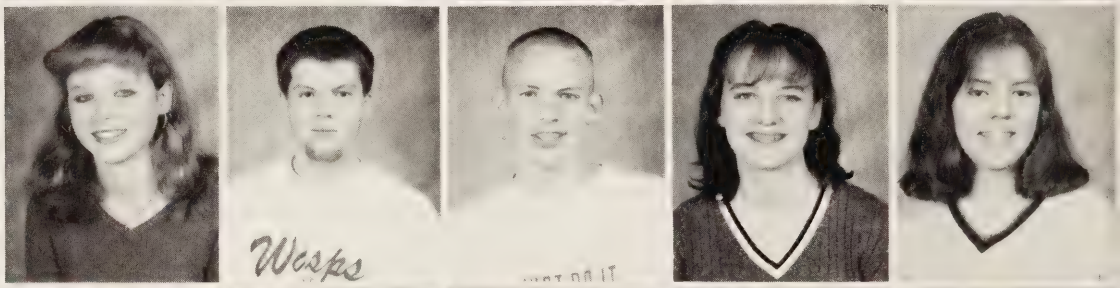

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TRAVIS CRESS
JESSICA DANCEL
AMBER DAVIS
HEATHER DAVIS

ADAM DEEL
AMANDA DEEL
AMENDA DEEL
BOBBIE DEEL
DOREAN DEEL

To Looking Back

JASON DEEL
JESSICA DEEL
MATT DEEL
MELINDA DEEL
SHANA DEEL

TONY DEEL
VIRGINIA DINGUS
TIFFANY DUTY
SHENNA EDWARDS
SABRINA ERICKSON

B.J. FLEMING
AMANDA FULLER
KRISTEN FULLER
LEANN FULLER
MELINDA FULLER

DANIEL GILBERT
RHONDA GILBERT
JERRY GREEN
MARLANA HACKNEY
ALETHA HALE

MISTY HELTON
D.J. HOGSTON
JENNY KIDDER
SARAH JONES
GREG LESTER

Freshmen

BRAD MULLINS
CHRISTOPHER MULLINS
CRYSTAL MULLINS
JAMINE MULLINS
JONATHAN MULLINS

MEGAN MULLINS
CANDACE OQUINN
DAVID OQUINN
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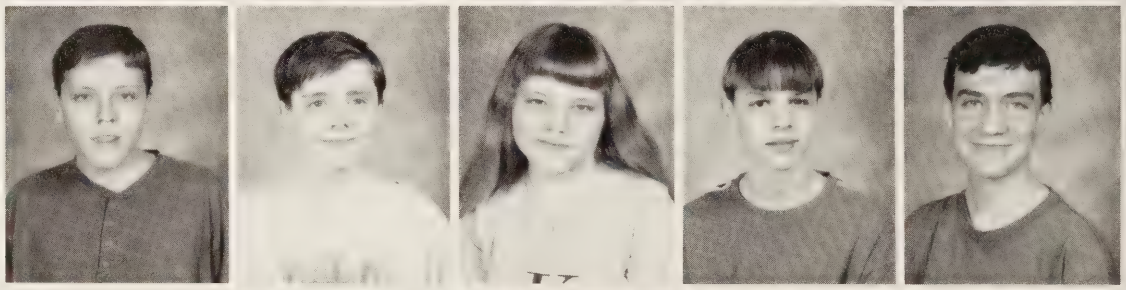

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PATRICIA RAMEY
BRANDY RASNAKE
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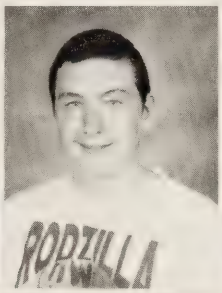

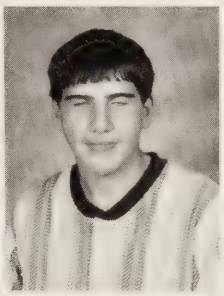
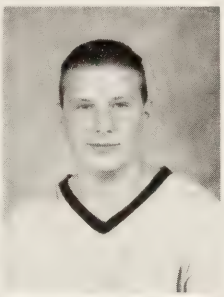

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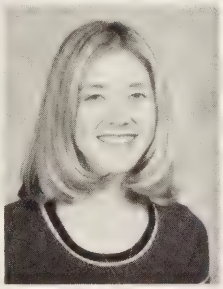

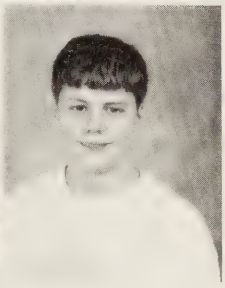

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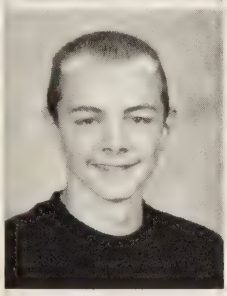

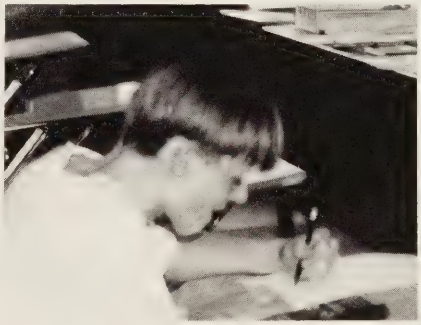

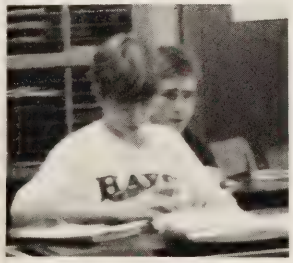

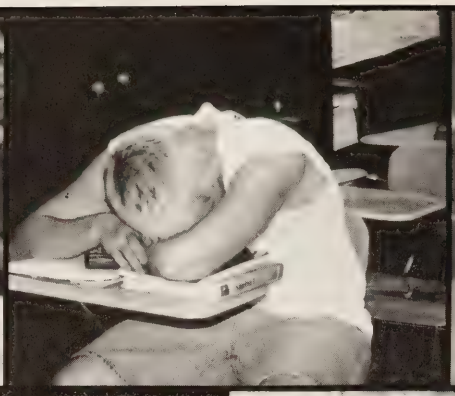

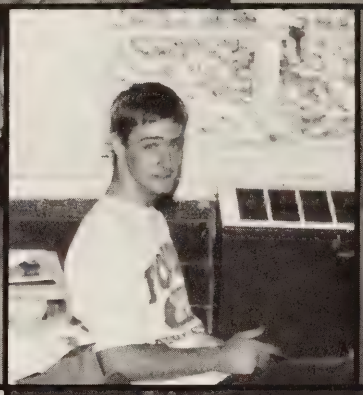
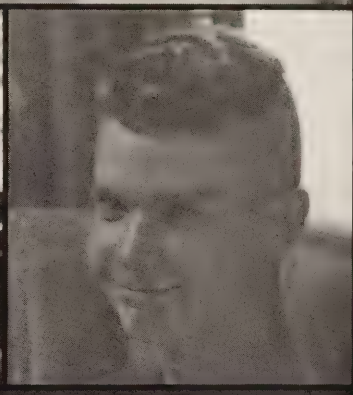

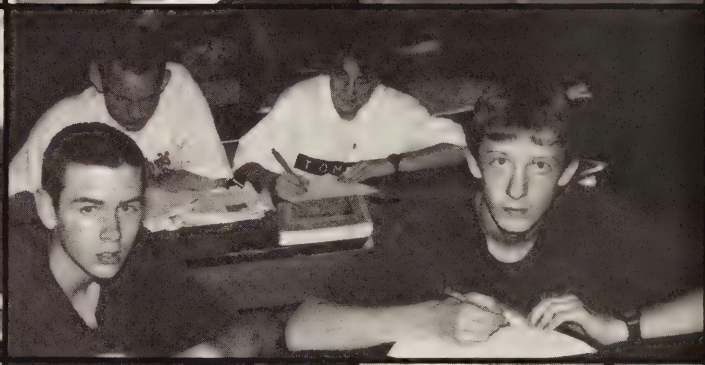

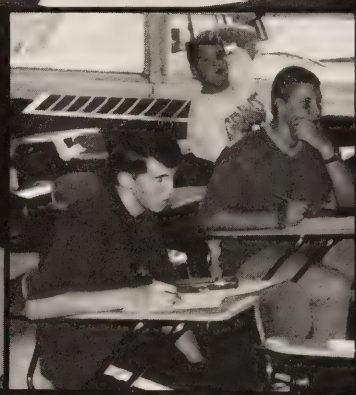

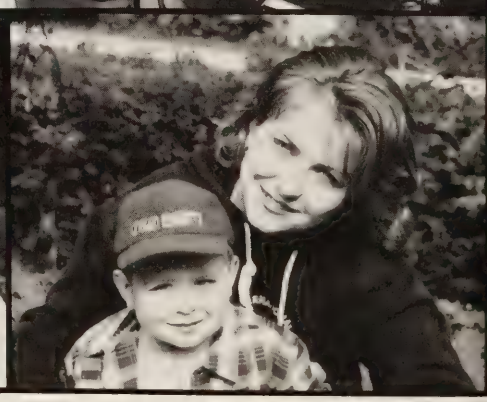

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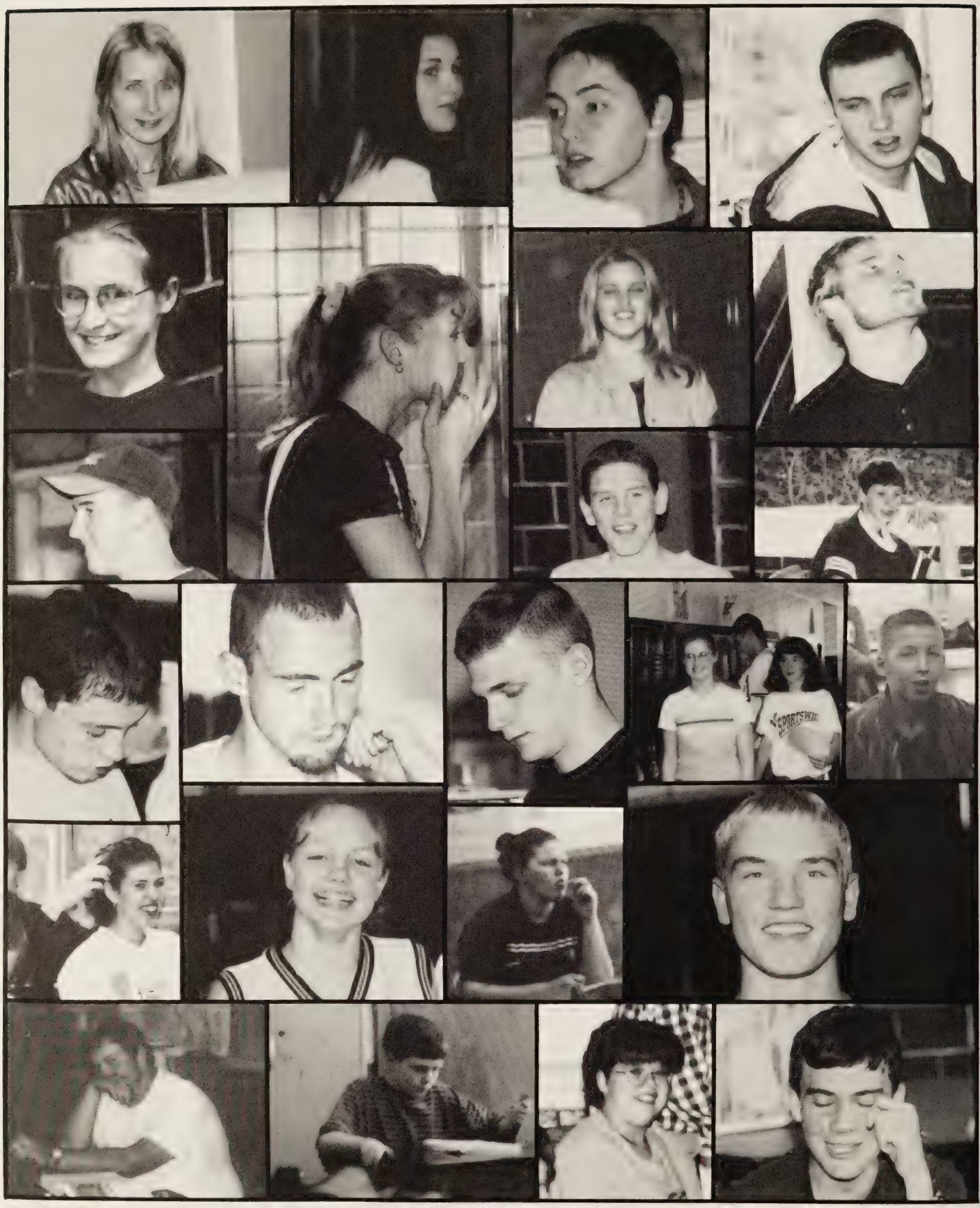

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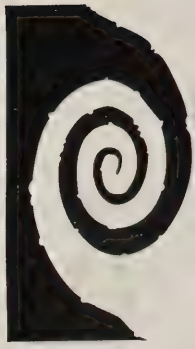
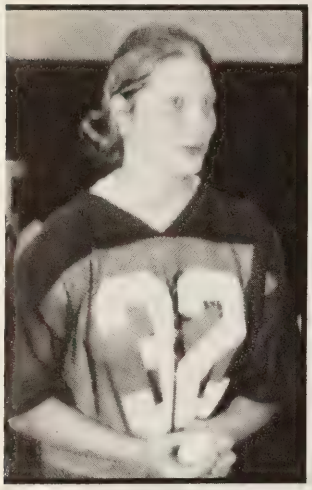
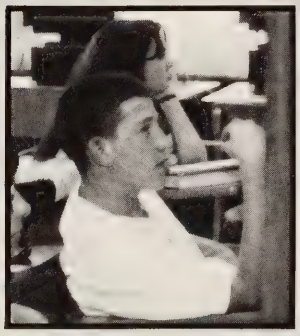
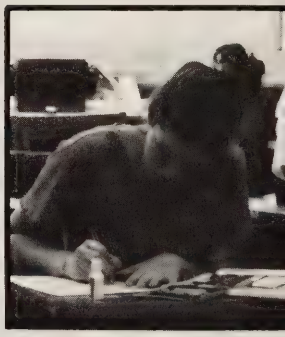
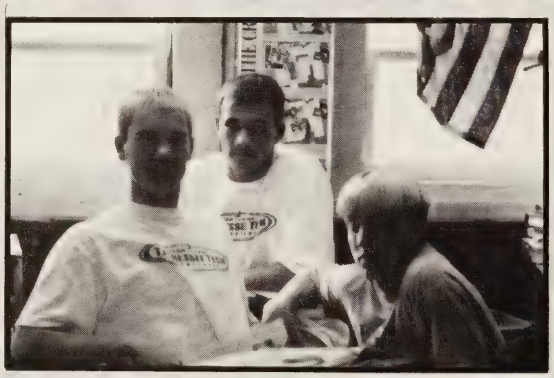
H.H.S. STUDENTS ARE

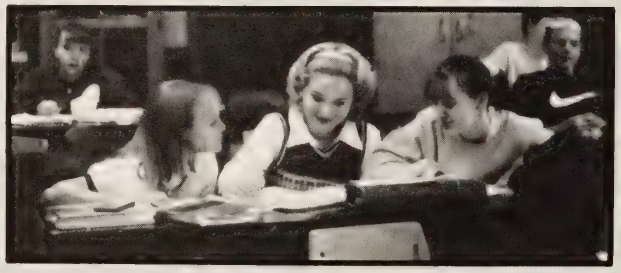
TO LOOKING BACK

Student Life





1999

Alexandra Fontura Pierri Manella came to Haysi High School in the Fall of 1997 from Brazil. Ale, as she is known to those who befriended her, was the first foreign exchange student ever to attend Haysi High. Due in part to Ale being Haysi High's first personal contact with a foreign country, but due mostly to her congenial personality, Ale left a lasting impression on Haysi High School. She brought to these halls her smiles and laughter. She gladdened the hearts of all who knew her. Ale accepted our friendship and love and returned it to us increased manyfold. Alexandra returned to Brazil in the summer of 1998. Though she is separated from us by many miles, she is with us still in our hearts and minds. The distance between friends is not measured in miles, but in smiles. The Journalism class wishes to dedicate this section of our yearbook to Alexandra and the wonderful memories she helped create with us.

1998 Prom

Beauty of America

A Touch of Heaven

1998 Football Homecoming Court

Ashley
Hill
Senior

Priscilla
Stanley
Senior

Gaylup
Turner
Senior

Amanda
Viers
Senior

Jennifer
Cox
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Kayla
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Ginny
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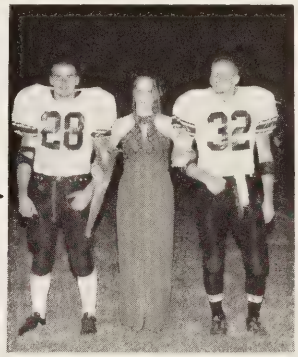
8th

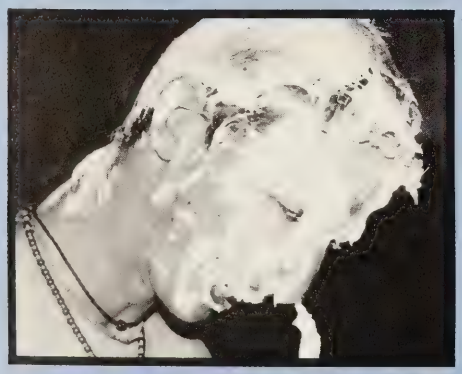
Queen
Ashley Hill



SPIRIT WEEK '98-'99

Monday — Pajama Day
Tuesday — Cowboy & Cowgirl/Hillbilly Day
Wednesday — Toga/Twin Day
Thursday — Camouflauge Day
Friday — Uniform Day

1998 Homecoming Court



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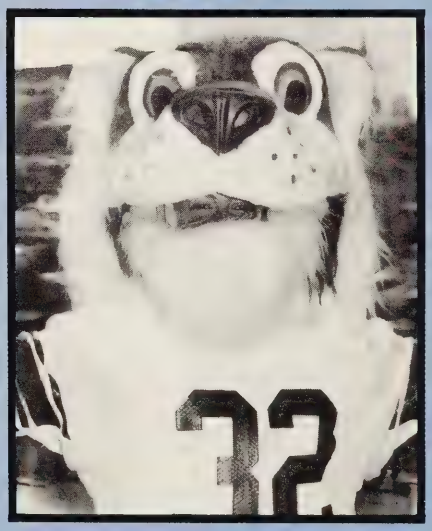

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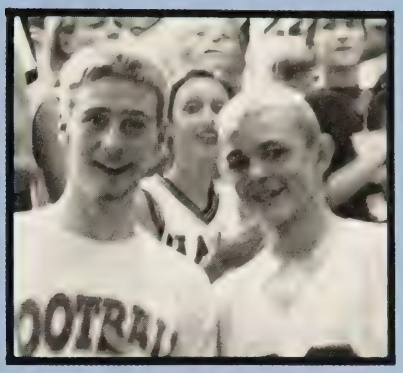

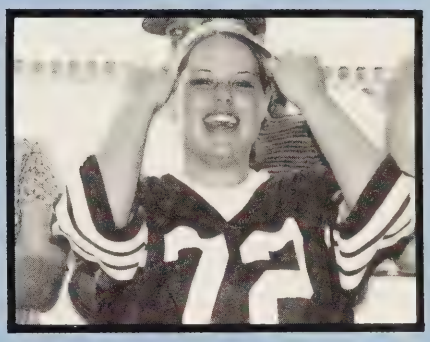
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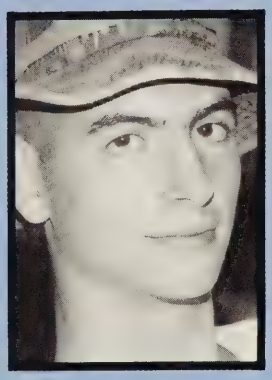

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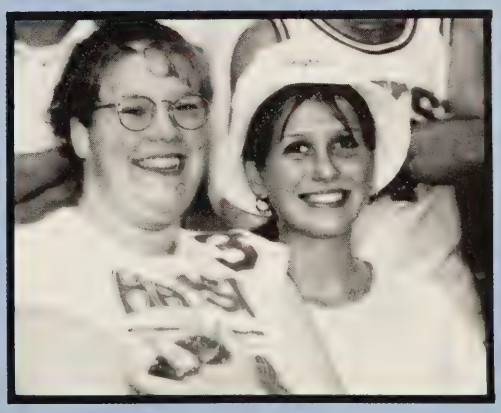


Beth and Jordan

Kayla and Josh

Winter Carnival

Brandi and Nathan

Gaylup and Clay

Melodye and Randy

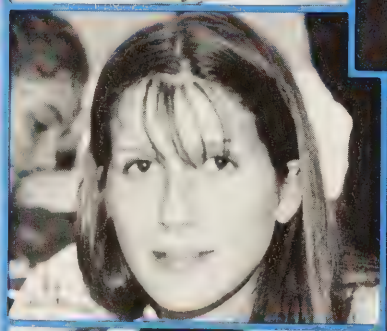
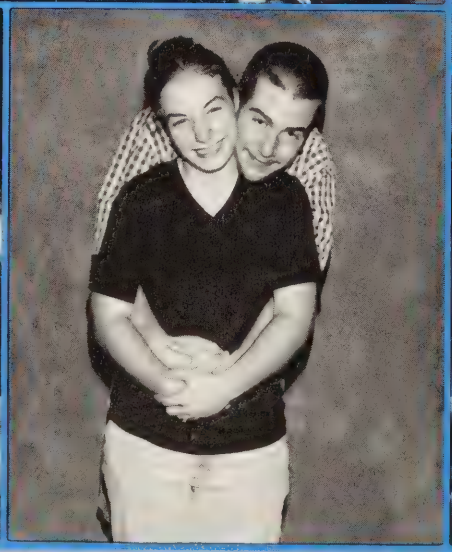
Jessie and Roger

Queen and King
Lori and Ryan

Heather and Eli

Nicole and Nathan

Journalism

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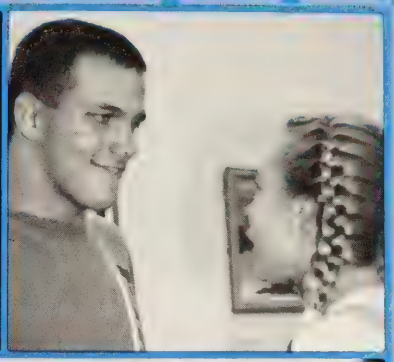

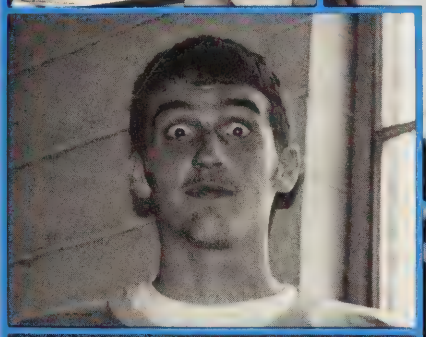
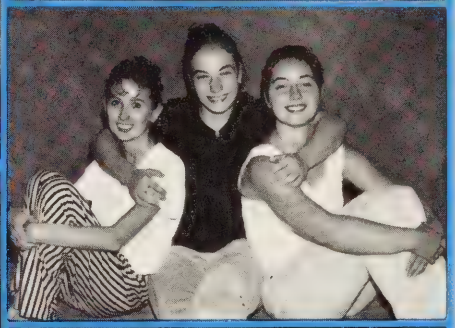

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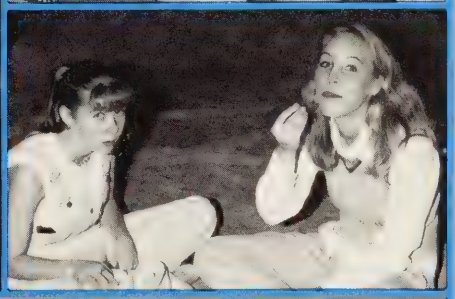
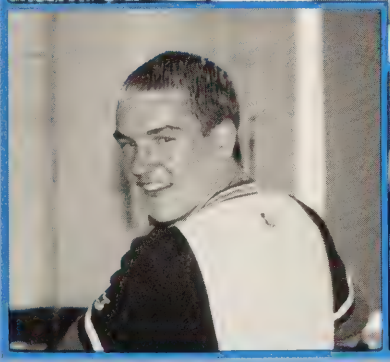

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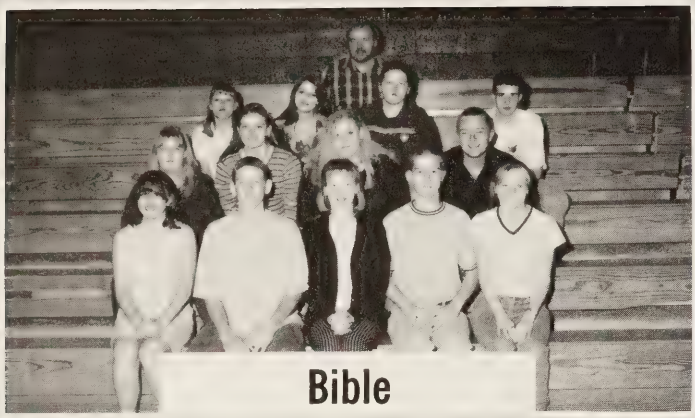
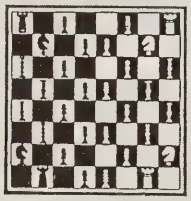
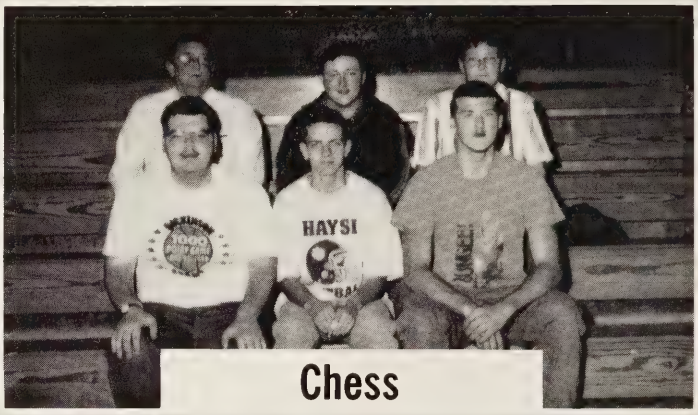


Bible

The Bible Club is a youth group organization in which the members, besides learning about Christianity, read Bible stories to children, visit those in the nursing home, and help families and individuals by promoting various projects.

The Haysi High School Chess Club meets once a week after school. Ralph Deel and Dennis Deel sponsor it. The club allows students the chance to play competitively and explore strategy and logic.





Chess

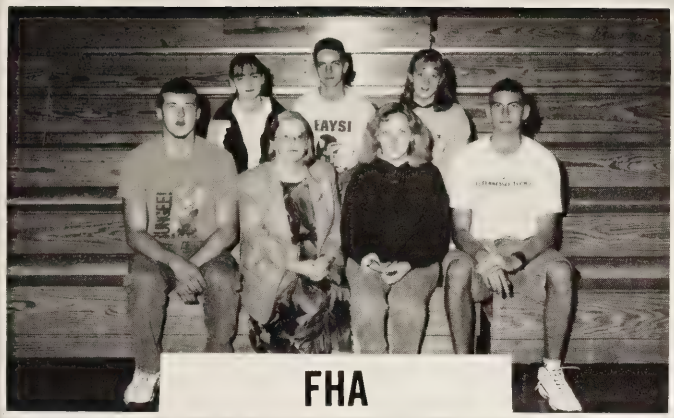
4-H

The 4-H Club consist of people who want to make the world a better place. The club works together to plant trees. 4-H does projects that benefit the environment. The 4-H holds a talent show which enables students to show their talent. There is also a camp that members can go to which allows them to learn about nature.

The Foreign Language Club consists of students in French or Latin. The purpose of the club is to generate enthusiasm in the field of study of foreign language and to learn more about the culture and habits of people in other countries. This year's sponsor is Bonnie Ratliff.

Foreign Language

Clubs

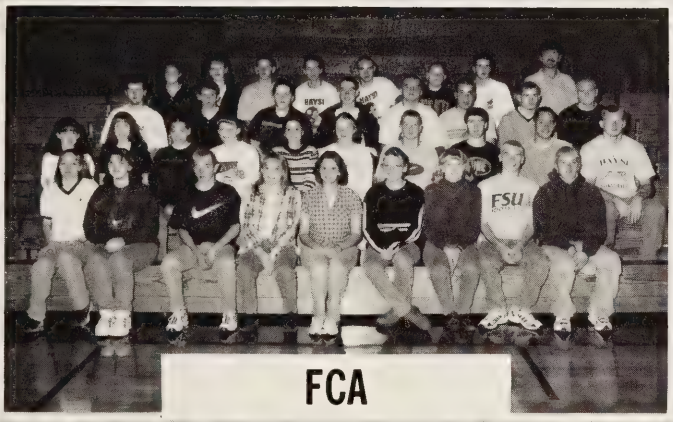


FHA

The general objective of the Future Homemakers of America organization is to help individuals improve personal, family, and community living through organized group and individual activities as a part of the Work and Family Studies program.

The Future Farmers of America provides opportunities to learn and experience career possibilities for the future of farming.

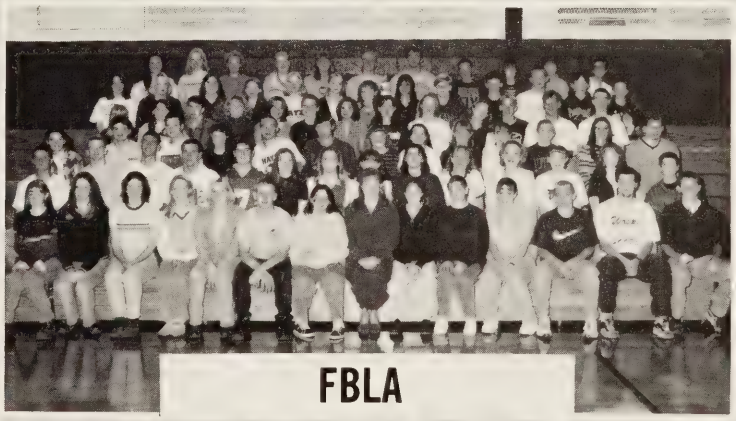
FFA



FCA

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes has been at HHS for the past 9 years. Sponsored by James Colley, the club's main goal is to build better character, and fellowship among the students here at Haysi High. The major project for the FCA is the toy drive for the disadvantaged kids in the area.

The Future Business Leaders of America is an organization for students in grades 9 -12 that are enrolled in a business course. The FBLA is a regional, state and national organization. Members of the FBLA are eligible to attend a regional and national meeting in the fall and a regional and state meeting in the spring. Members are selected to compete at the regional level in various business events. Members placing either first or second at the regional level are eligible to compete at the state level. Those members placing first or second at the state level are eligible to compete at the national level. Business students also compete in the Dickenson County Business Competition and in the Southwest Virginia Community College Business Competition.



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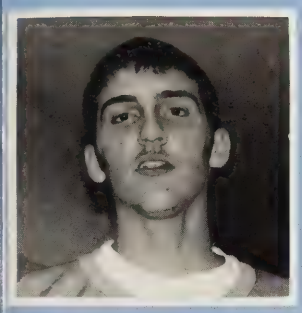

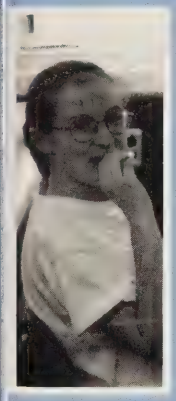
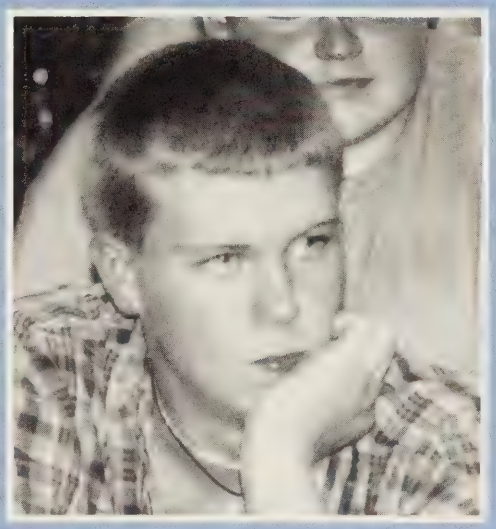

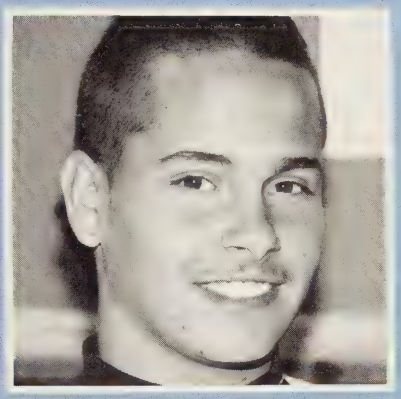

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1998-99 Beta Club

The Beta Club is an honor club. Students must have a 4.0 GPA to enter as a sophomore, a 3.5 as a junior, and a 3.0 as a senior. As members, students have the opportunity to attend the state and national conventions. They are so recognized at graduation by wearing a gold tassel and honor stole. If a 3.0 GPA or better is not maintained for two consecutive semesters the student will be removed from the club. Students who achieve and maintain membership into Beta can be proud that their efforts have not gone unnoticed.

Officers
President: Matt Powers
V. President: Kelly Riley
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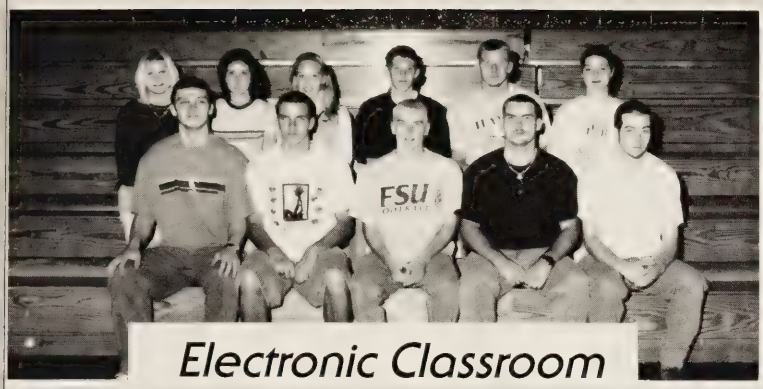
Last Years Beta Convention

1998 HHS



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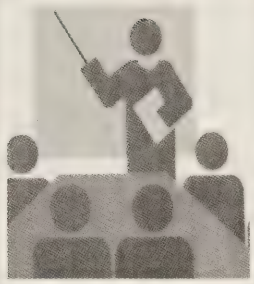

Governor's School

Latin

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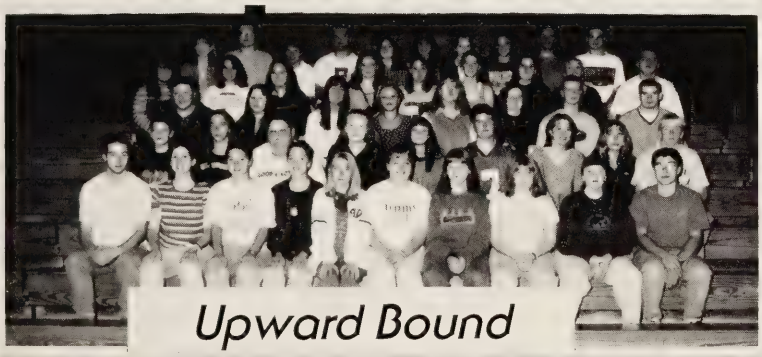
Veni, vidi, vici!



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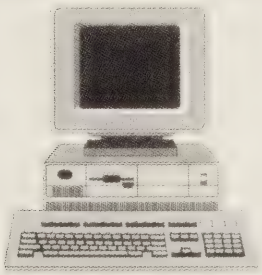

Academic Offerings

98-99 Key Club And

The 1998-99 Key Club has been involved in many different activities through the course of the year. The Mountain Mission Sugar Drive, Unicef boxes, and popping popcorn at all of the home ball games. Our Club would like to thank all the members of the Haysi Kiwanis for their help and sponsorship.

Officers: Lieutenant Gov. Kelly Riley President: Kory Bostic, Vice-President Amanda Hogston, Treasurer: Mandy Yates, and Secretary: Sarah Elswick

Sweethearts

Across L to R -- Dawn Deel, Amanda Hogston, Sweetheart Gaylup Turner, Cynthia Owens, Amanda Viers, and Kelly Riley

Club Sweethearts

Kelly Riley

Cynthia Owens

Amanda Viers

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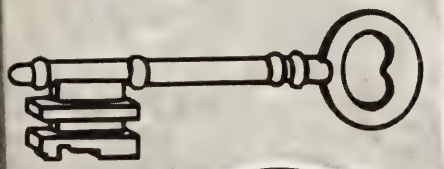

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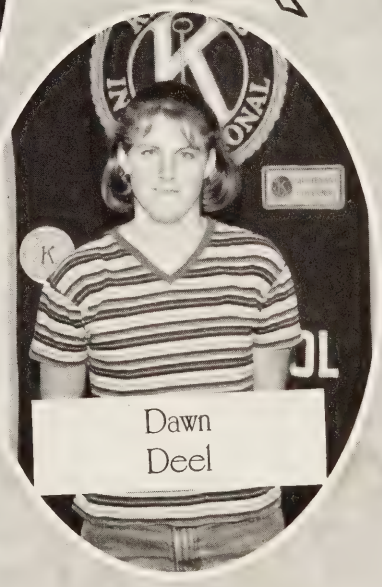

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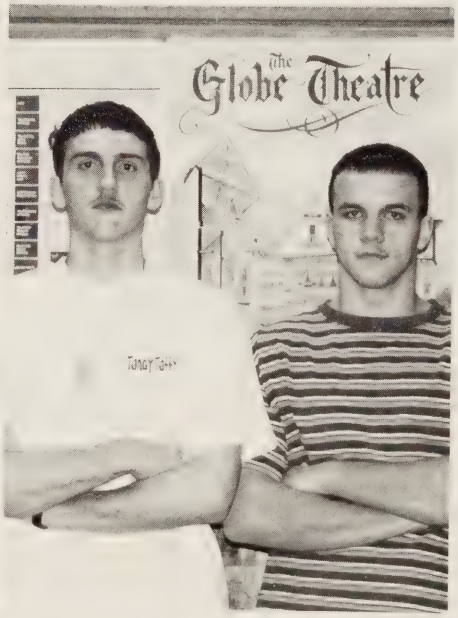

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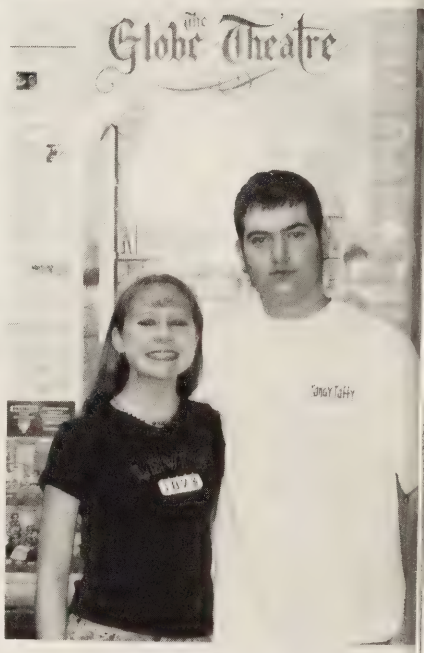

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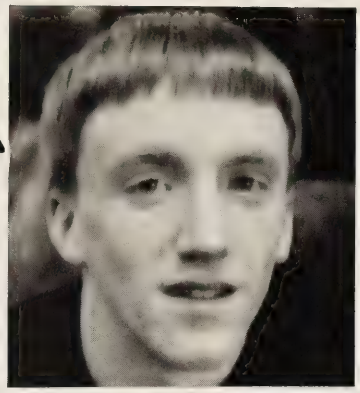

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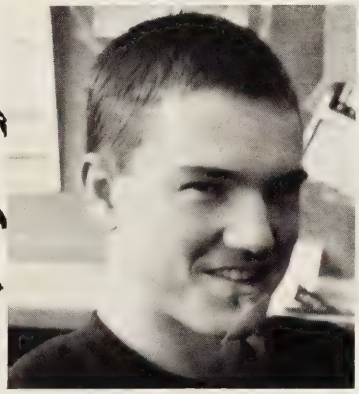

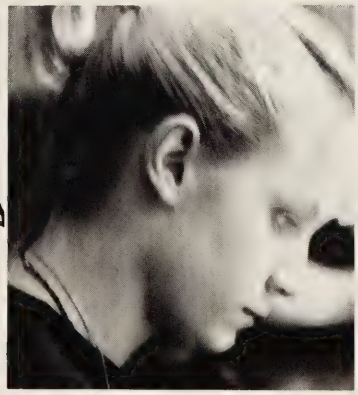

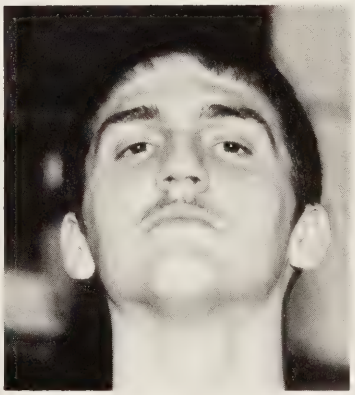

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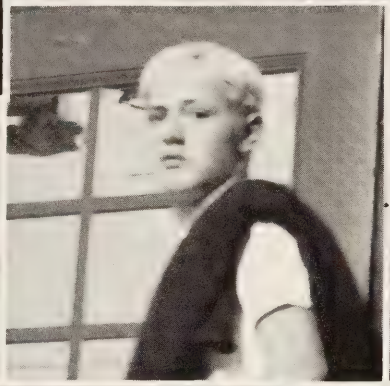

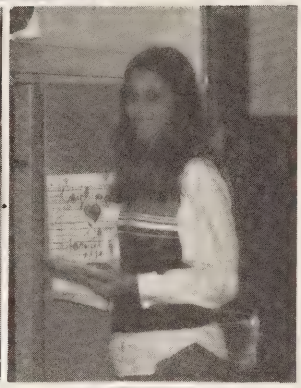

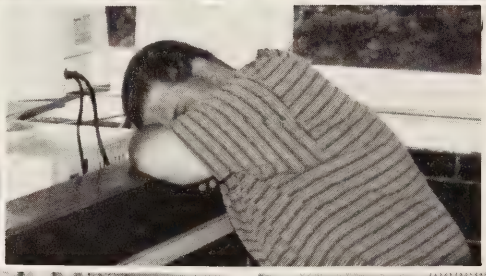

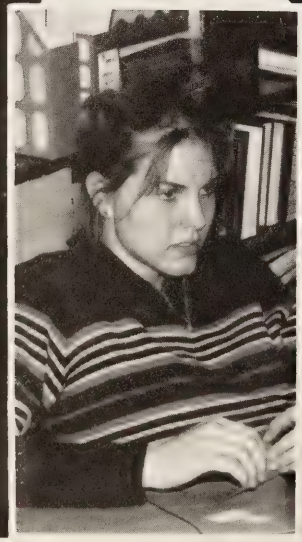

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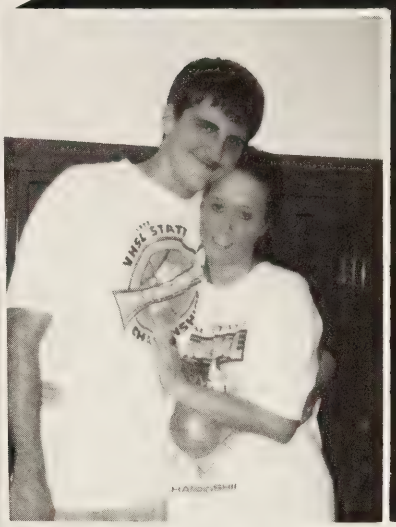

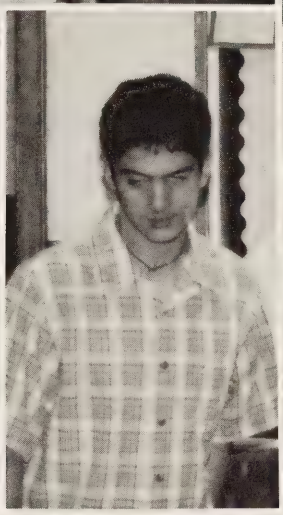

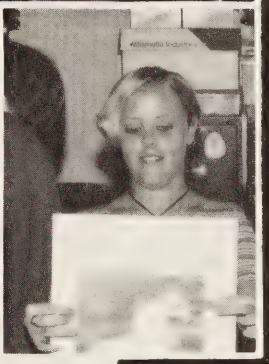

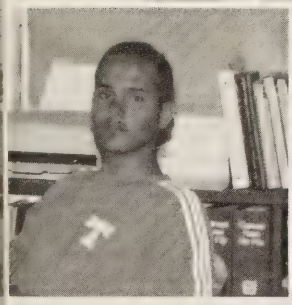

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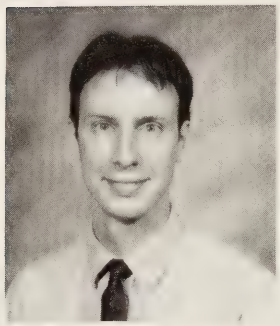
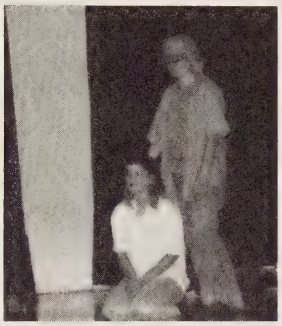




The drama students have certainly produced a memorable year. Besides telling ghost stories as part of the Haysi Public Library's Spook Night, they also qualified to perform at the VHSL State Theatre Festival. Their production of "Blues" by Jerome McDonough, a play about the lives of the homeless, was Haysi's first state-level entry.

SPEECH

CLASS

FORENSICS

Top Row: Nathan Anderson, Matt Puckett, Shasta Viers, Whitney Tiller, Natalie Younce, Chris O'Quinn, Priscilla Stanley, Scarlett Counts, Cody Ireson, Danyelle Mullins, Crecey Shortridge Second Row: Kelly Riley, Pearl Wells, Samantha Church, Rozina Edwards Bottom Row: Coach Rod Boyd, not pictured Vanessa Castle

NEWSPAPER

The Newspaper Staff Includes: Matt Puckett, Lavada Sweeney, Gavin Counts, Cynthia Owens, Matt Powers, Kayla Wallace, Samantha Church, Kim Sullivan, Danielle Deel, Rozina Edwards, Elijah Owens, Mandy Yates, Nathan Anderson, Amanda Hogston, B.J. Justice, Kim Fuller

Editors

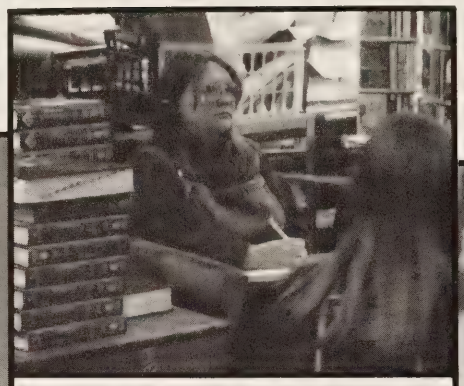
Creative Writing

To Create is to explore the further reaches of the imagination.

Mandy Ratliff, Short Story

Derrick Yates, Short Story

Lavada Sweeney, Poem



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Haysi High

CREATIVE WRITING TEAM PLACES SECOND IN STATE

The 1998 Haysi High School Creative Writing Team experienced a successful year, placing second in the Virginia High School League 1998 Creative Writing Contest, with two team members receiving medals. The six-member team was selected in January from more than forty entrants in grades nine through twelve. Six original works (two poems, two essays, and two short stories) were bound as a creative writing booklet, which was then submitted for competition in mid March.

The second place title follows three consecutive years of first place ratings for Haysi High School creative writing teams. According to the coach, Mrs. Robin Charles, "The success of each team is a testimony to the personal commitment of the participating students, the level of their creative writing skills, and their willingness to share their writing talents by publishing their works for competition."

Each work included in the booklet represents many hours of student writing, revision, and editing. The students' already excellent writing skills were further honed as they polished their works for submission. Submitted entries were rated both individually and collectively as a booklet. Possible ratings were good, excellent, and superior.

Each entrant, grade level, title, and rating by category follows:

- Crystal Spears, senior, "Awakenings", Superior Poem, Second Place Medallist
- Derrick Yates, sophomore, "Black Widow", Superior Short Story, Third Place Medallist
- Beth Harrison, senior, "Dreams", Excellent Essay
- Lori Owens, senior, "Why", Excellent Essay
- Amanda Ratliff, senior, "The Patchwork Quilt", Excellent Short Story
- Lavada Sweeney, junior, "Refuge", Excellent Poem

Superior Booklet was the overall rating given to the six works collectively, and the booklet earned second place honors in the VHSL Group A contest.

Lori Owens, Essay

Crystal Spears, Poem

Beth Harrison, Essay

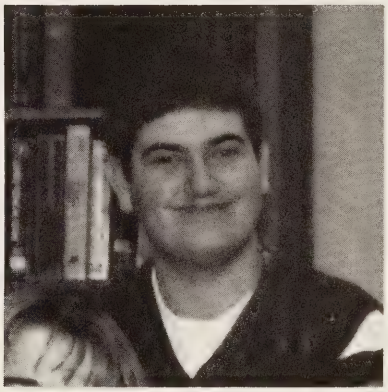
BRIGHT IDEA!

Academic Bowl Team

Mrs. Counts

Matt Powers

Lavada Sweeney



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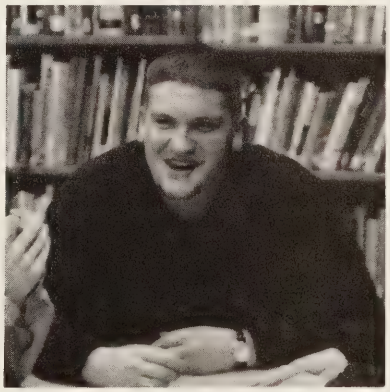
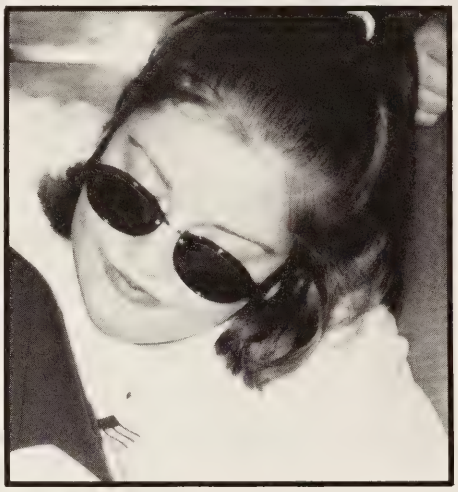


Derrick Yates

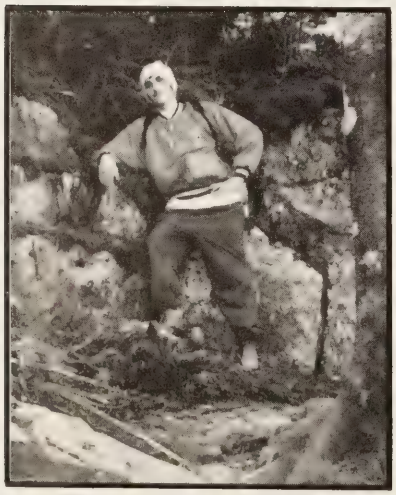
Business

FBLA is an important part of the business curricular. Last year the FBLA club traveled to Virginia Beach for the annual FBLA convention! It was a wonderful trip!



Math & Science

The Biology II class, under the instruction of Mr. Stewart Colley, went on a trip to Mt. Rogers and White Top Mountain on October 24, 1998. The trip included the hike to the summit of Mt. Rogers and a drive to the summit of "White Top Mountain". Along the way, students learned many interesting things such as the scolding call many birds make and that this call can be used to attract birds for observation.



'98-'99 HHS Choir

All Regional Choir

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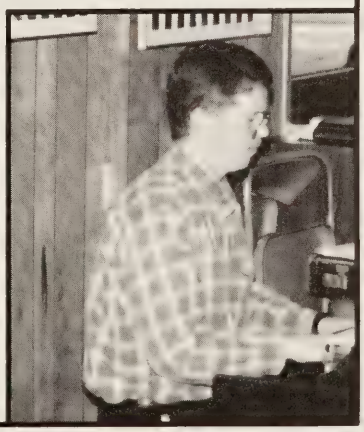
Concert Choir Members:

Director:

MR. JOHN WHITNER



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Bobby

Brad

Dennis

Rodney

Kim

Sabrina

Jeremy

Chris

Daniel G.

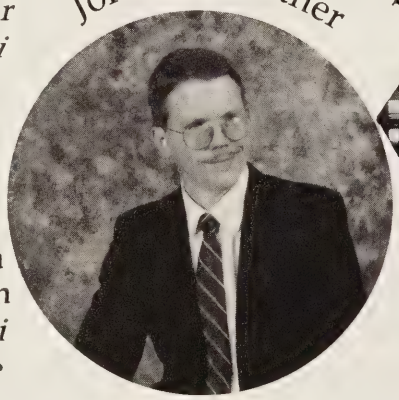
Haysi

Tiger

Marching Band

Band Director

John R. Whitner



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Asst. Visual Coordinator

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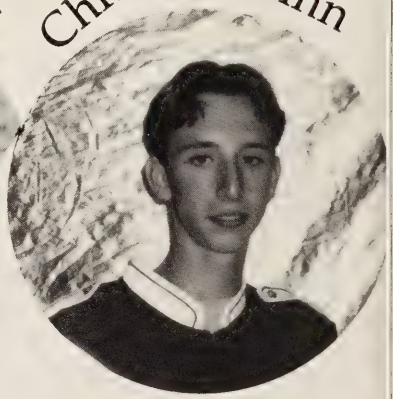

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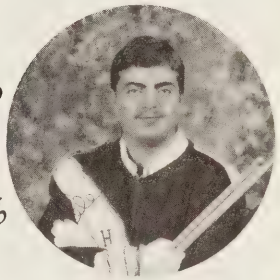

Doug

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Garon

Greg

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Instructor

Senior

Amanda

Deana Whitner

Lavada * Capt.

Haysi High Marching Tiger Flag Corps

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Robin, Jr.

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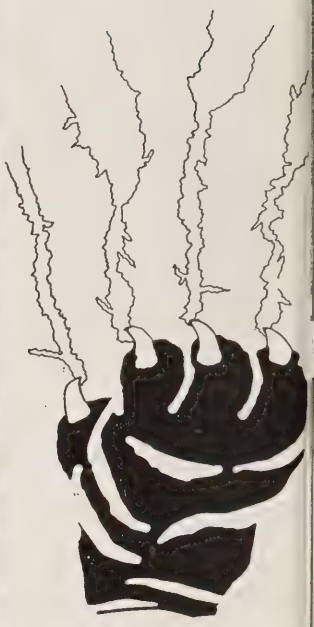

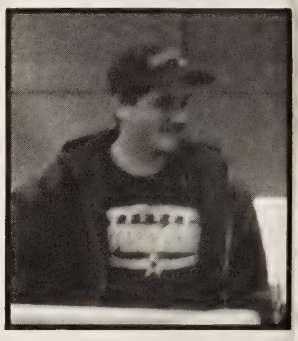

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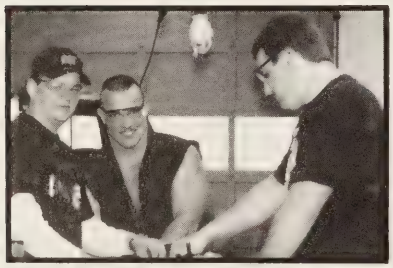

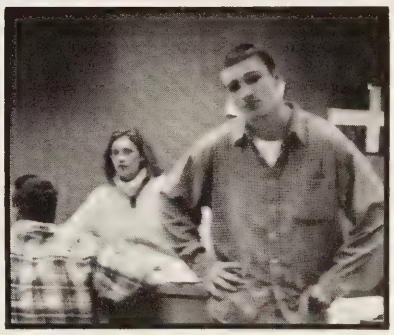

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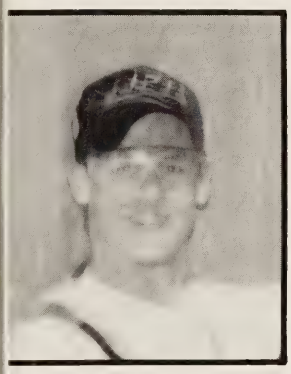

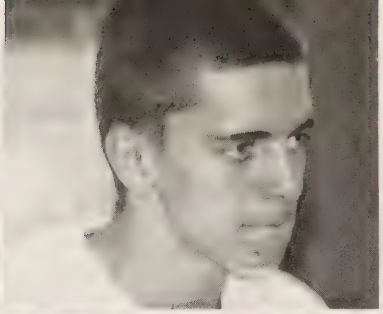
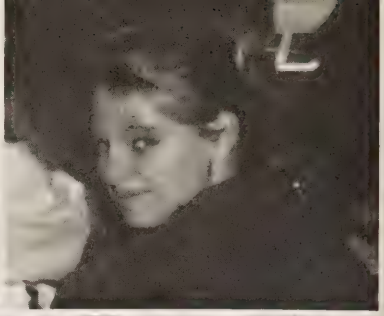
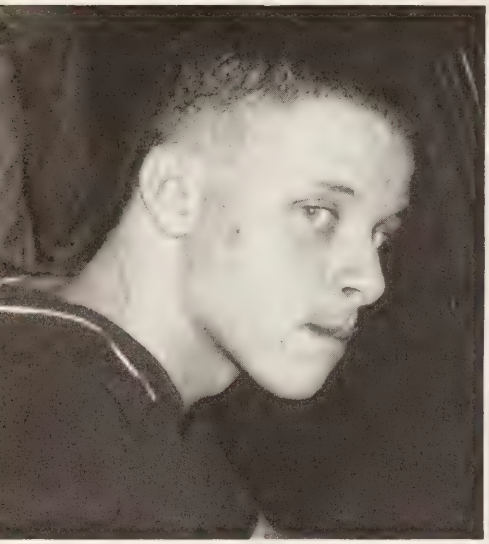
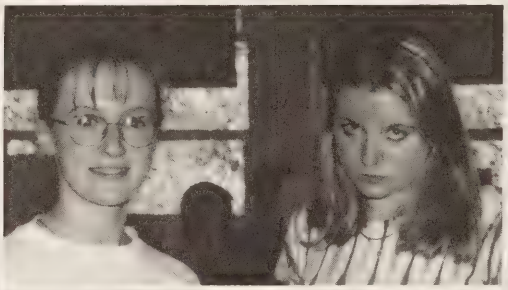

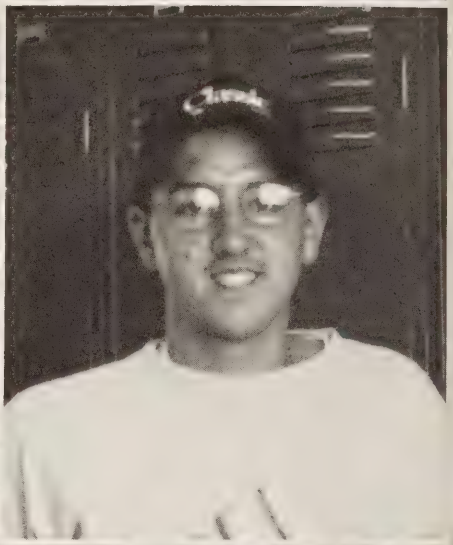

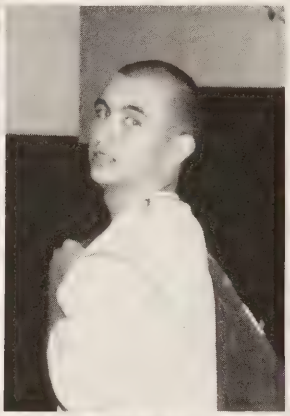

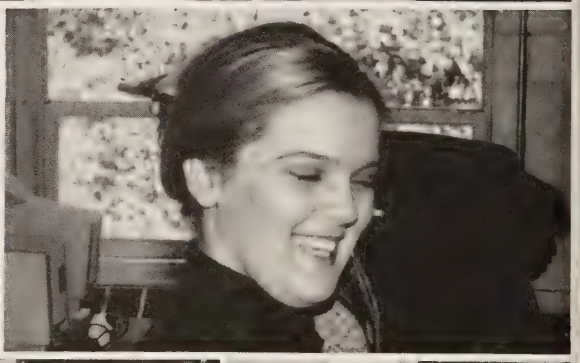

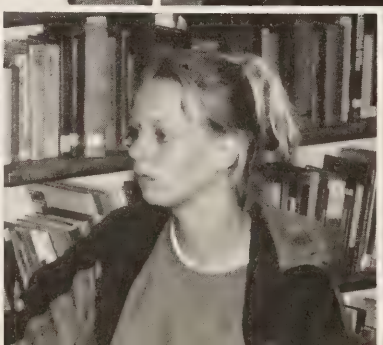

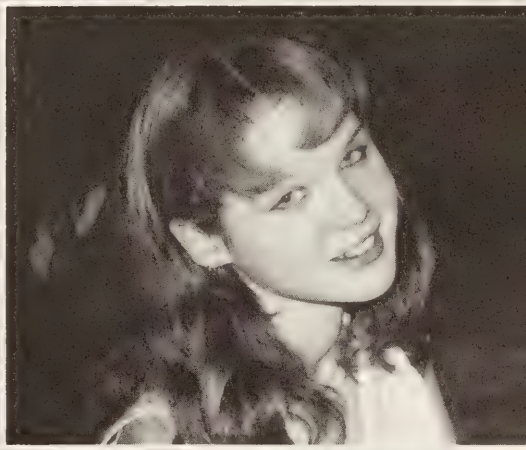

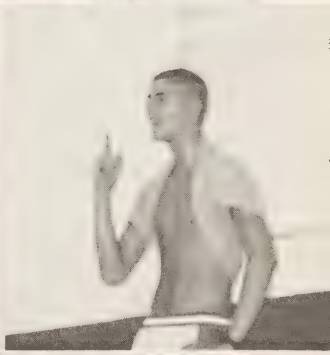
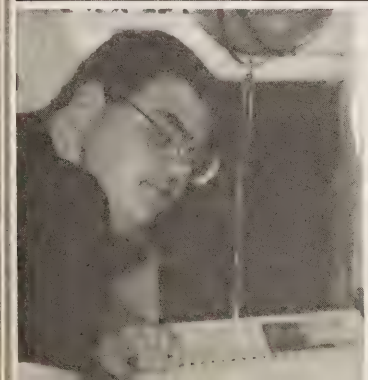

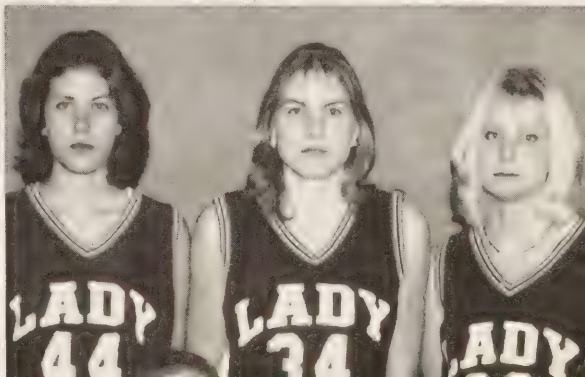
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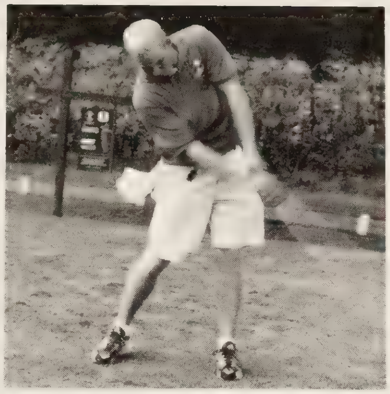

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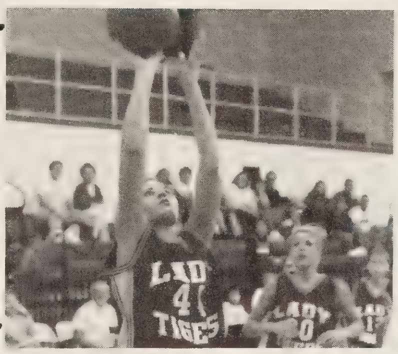

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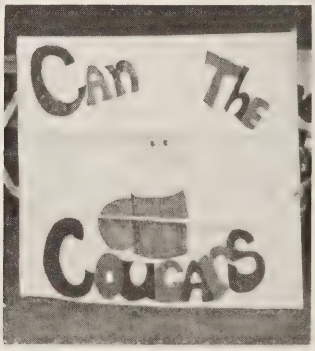

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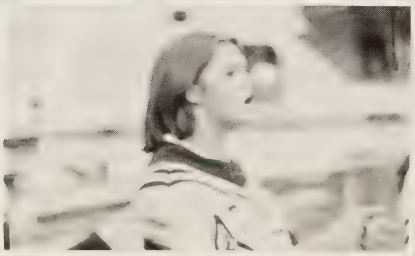

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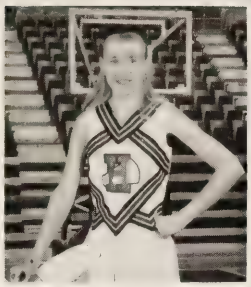


Amanda
Senior

Sarah
Sophomore

Missy
Junior

Carnita
Sophomore

Kayla
Sophomore

Jazmine
Mascot

Kim
Sophomore

CAPTAIN

Gaylup
Senior

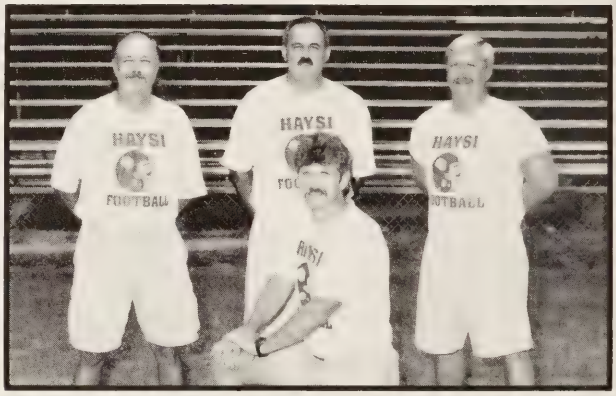
Samantha
Junior

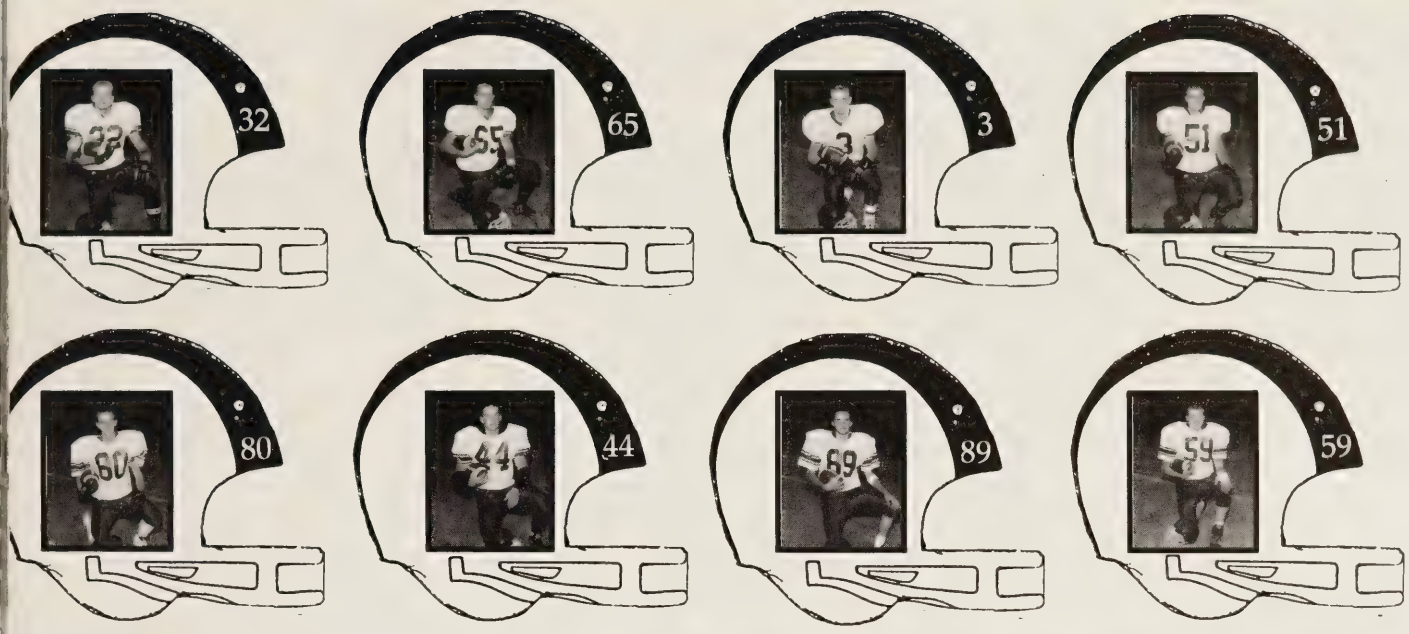
CO CAPTAIN

CAPTAINS

1998 Haysi Football

Seniors





Haysi Football - 1998

Date	Opponent	Place
August 28	J.I. Burton	Away
September 4	Clintwood	**Home**
September 11	Grundy	**Home**
September 18	Elkhorn City	**Home**
September 25	*Honaker	Away
October 2	Patrick Henry	Away
October 9	*Garden	**Home**
October 16	Open	
October 23	*Hurley	Away
October 30	Ervinton	**Home**
November 6	*Whitewood	**Home**

**District Games*

FOOTBALL

TIGER FOOTBALL
BLACK DIAMOND DISTRICT CHAMPIONS

This was another successful year for the Haysi Football program. An undefeated J.V. team gave us a promising look at the future, and the varsity kept things going along a familiar path. After starting the season off slowly, the Tigers got rolling, going 6-1 to end the regular season, and win the BDD title for the sixth straight year. This year's Seniors will be missed come next fall, but the memories they helped us make will be with all of us for years to come.

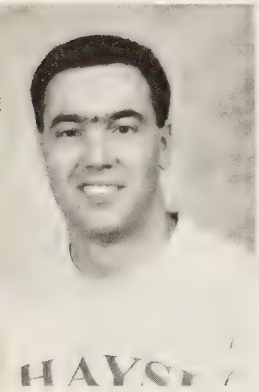
Good Luck Class of "99"

James R. Colley

Tigers Varsity Basketball 98'-99'

Top row; Left to Right: Brad Cress, Blake Owens, Sam Deel, Matt Counts, Justin Deel, Kory Bostic, John Salyers

Bottom row; Left to Right: Nathan O'Quinn, Jessee Thomas, Robby Colley, Nathan Anderson, Elijah Owens, Clay Powers



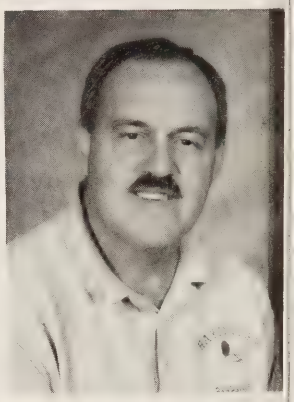
David "G" Sutherland

Head Coach

After losing over 60% of our scoring, rebounds, and assists from last years Final Four team due to graduation, we are faced with the challenging task of "reloading" and moving on. With a pretty good nucleus of returning players, along with some nice additions of talented players, we should be competitive in what will be a very strong district and region, and hopefully make another state title run.

Coach Sutherland

Larry Compton



Assistant Coach

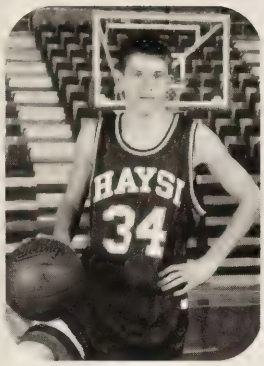
Dec. 4,5	Kiwanis Tournament	Clincheo
Dec. 11	Richlands	Away
Dec. 15	Grundy	Away
Dec. 18	Open	
Dec. 22	Richlands	Home
Dec. 26	Coal Classic	Appalachia
Dec. 28	Coal Classic	Appalachia
Dec. 29	Coal Classic	Appalachia
Dec. 30	Coal Classic	Appalachia
Jan. 5	Ervinton	Home
Jan. 8	Council	Away
Jan. 12	Grundy	Home
Jan. 15	Garden	Away
Jan. 19	Hurley	Home
Jan. 22	Honaker	Home
Jan. 26	Whitewood	Home
Jan. 29	Council	Home
Feb. 2	Garden	Home
Feb. 5	Hurley	Away
Feb. 9	Honaker	Away
Feb. 12	Whitewood	Home
Feb. 16, 18, 20	BDD Tournament	Garden

The 97'-98' Tigers had one of the most successful seasons in school history. Last year's team was one of the most athletic, talented, and experienced teams in the state, as demonstrated with an outstanding 26-3 record. This outstanding season came to a disappointing conclusion with a heart-breaking loss to the eventual state champs, Washington & Lee-Montross, in the final seconds of the game.

97'-98' Accomplishments

Arby's Classic appearance, 3rd place in McDonalds Classic, B.D.D. undefeated regular season champs, B.D.D. Tournament Champs, Region D Champs, State Semi-final appearance.

Below is the Scope, located in Norfolk, VA. This was the site of the Tigers buzzer-beating loss in the state-semifinals.



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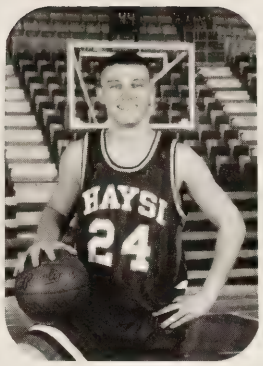
Robby Colley
"The Cobb"



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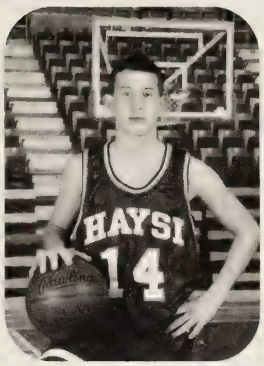
Justin Deel
"D.W."



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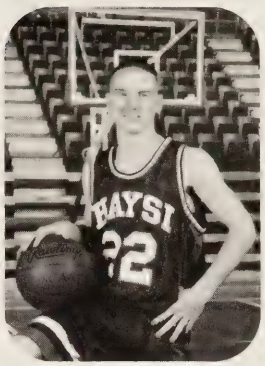
Elijah Owens
"Retard"



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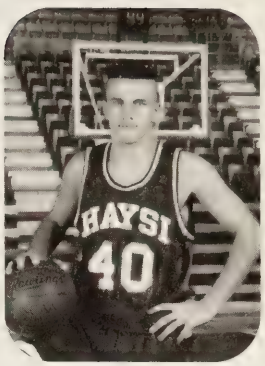
Nathan O'Quinn
"Nose"



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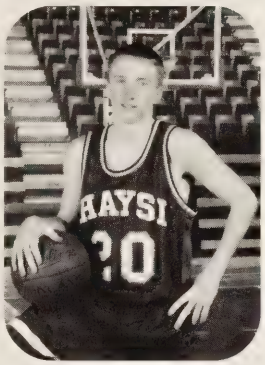
Blake Owens
"Casanova"



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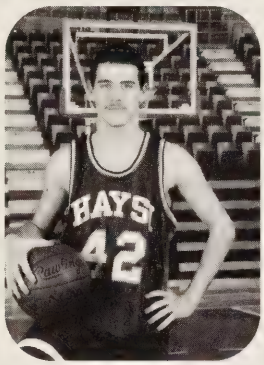
Nathan Anderson
"Double D"



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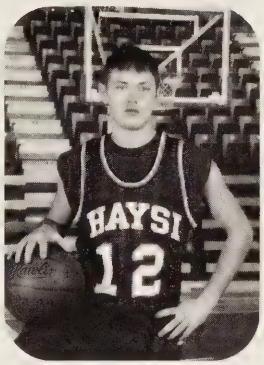
Brad Cress
"Shy-Guy"



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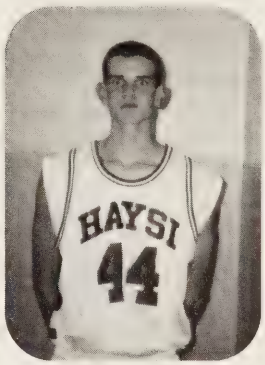
Jessee Thomas
"Tomcat"



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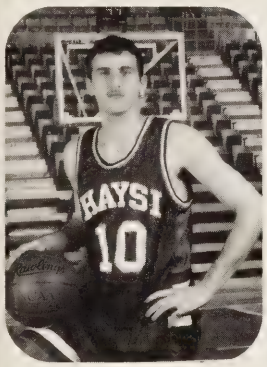
"El Gante"



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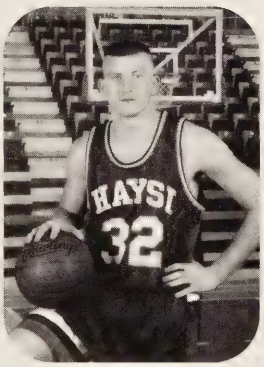

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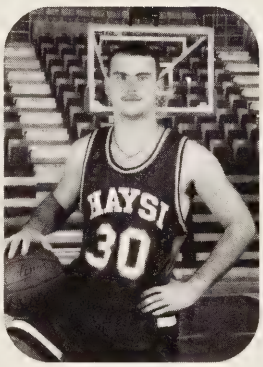
Kory Bostic
"Boom"



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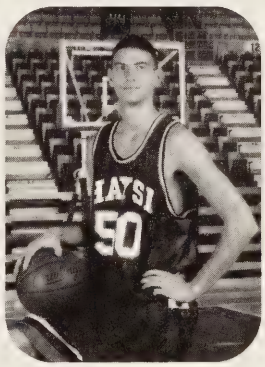

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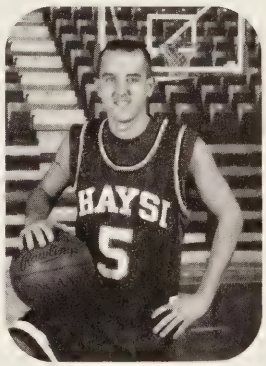
"AAATT"



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Clay Powers
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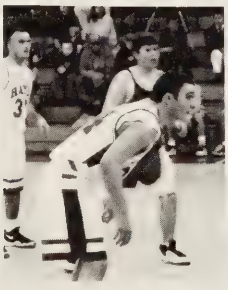
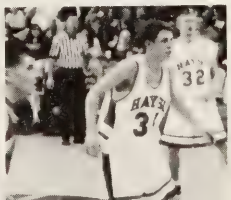
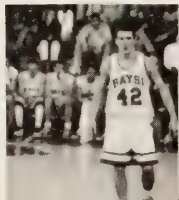






20-4 1998 Varsity Girls BDD Champs

Traci Woods

#32

Whitney Tiller

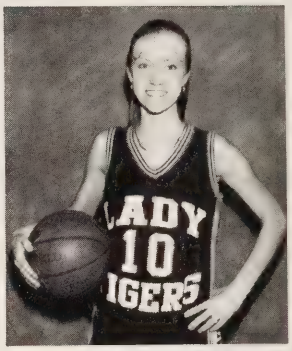
#44

Sarah Elswick

#34

Kerri Rowlett

#22



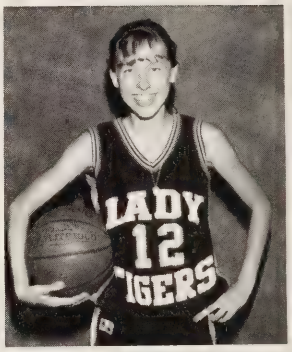
Rhonda Stanley

#10

The 1998 edition of the Lady Tigers was one that continued the winning tradition that has been a trademark for several years. The Tigers won their 2nd consecutive regular season championship by sweeping through the district 10-0. Also, the Tigers then lost a heartbreaker in the regionals to J.J. Kelly (Regional Champions) by a 43-41 score. With no seniors on the squad the Tigers are eagerly anticipating the 1999 season and a possible return to state play. All-district members of the team were Sarah Elswick, Kerri Rowlette, Whitney Tiller and Honorable Mention to Traci Woods.

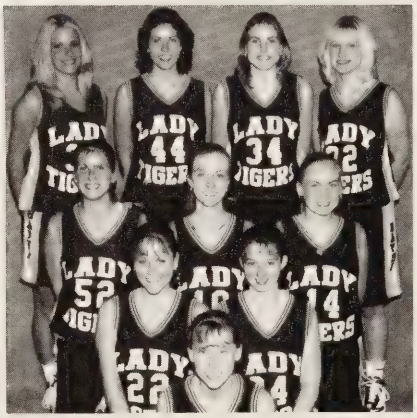
Amanda Lane

#24



Kim Sullivan

#12



Stephanie Owens

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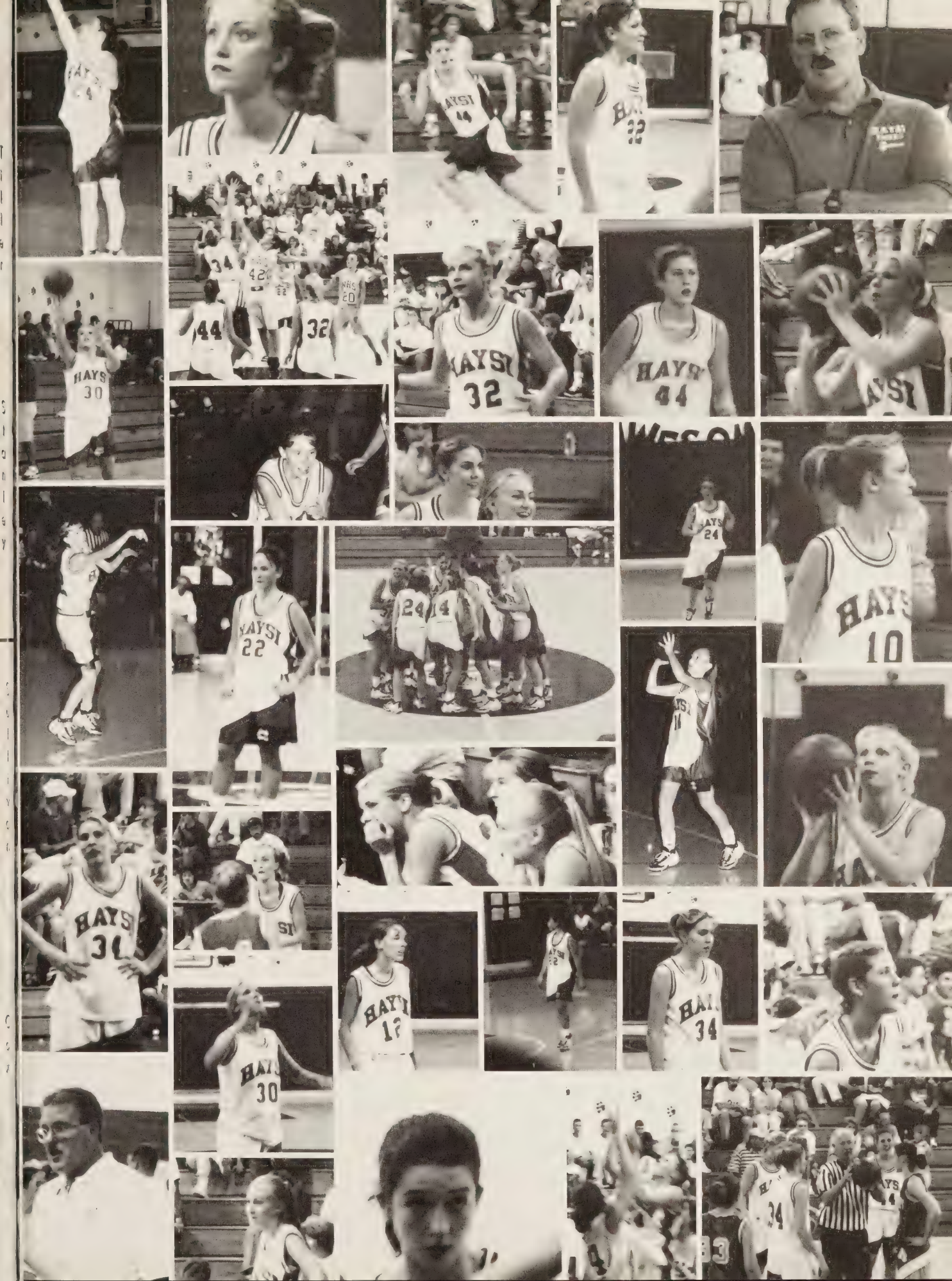
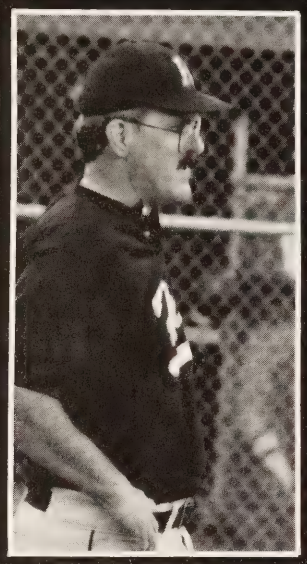
Jennifer Cox

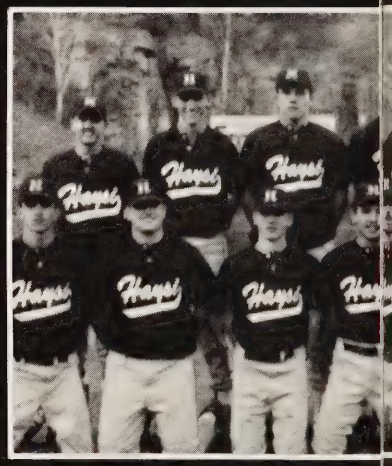
#30

Assistant Coach

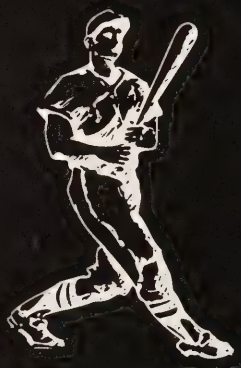


1998 Haysi Tiger

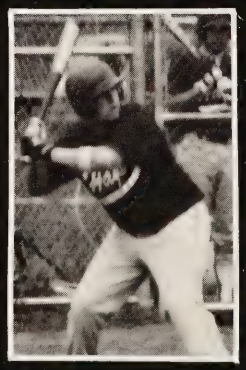




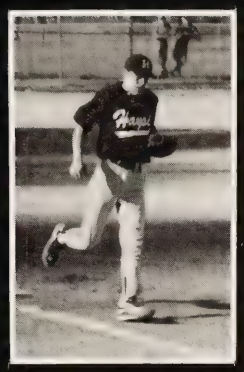
Pictured left to right. Standing: Clay Sutherland, Kory Bostic, Eli Sutherland Rasnick; Matt Puckett, Nathan O'Quinn Jesse Childress, and Randy Charles.

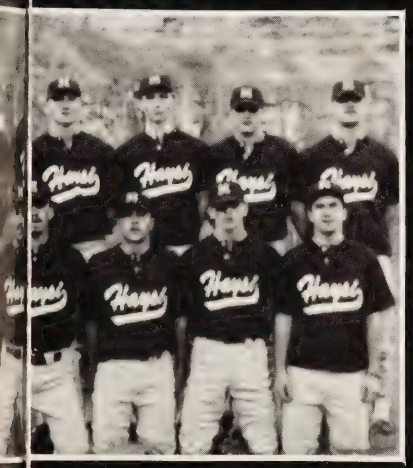


Opponent	Place	Us	Them
Council	Away	12	2
Grundy	Home	9	4
Garden	Away	12	1
Council	Home	12	2
Pound	Home	16	7
Garden	Home	20	2
Honaker	Away	4	5
Whitewood	Home	17	0
Whitewood	Home	12	2
Hurley	Home	12	0
Hurley	Home	21	0
Council	Away	9	2
Honaker	Home	8	11
Region D Tournament			
Castlewood	Norton	6	13



Baseball





Powers, Aron Turner, Blake Owens, Heath
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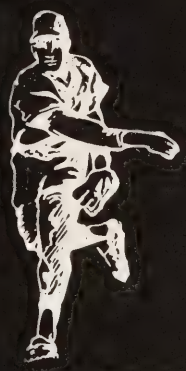
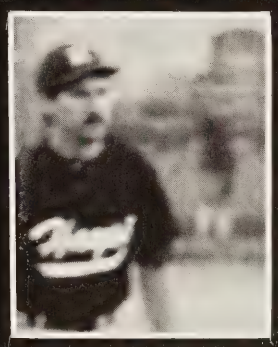
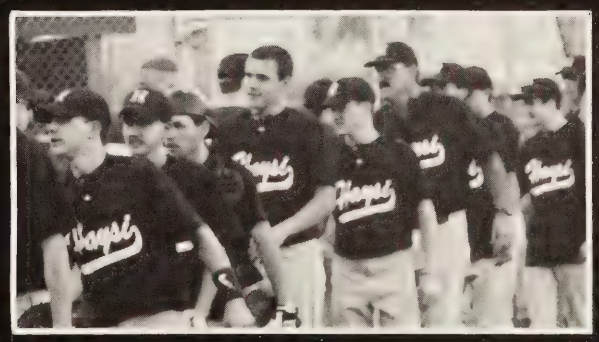




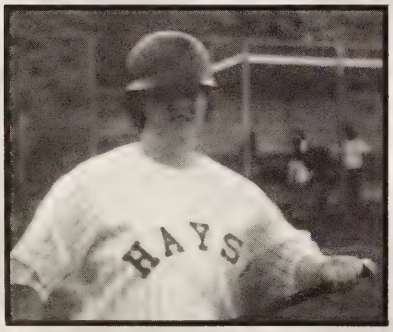


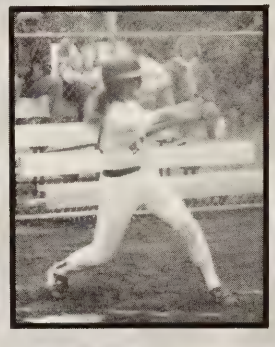
Lady Tiger Softball

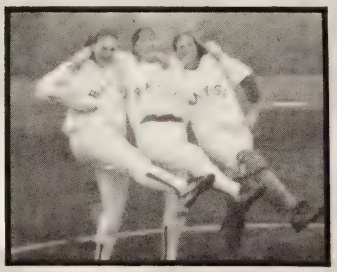
The 1997-1998 Girls Softball Team played hard and earned a 2nd place standing in the BDD. Despite their youth, the girls put together a wonderful season. Expect a very successful 98-99 season.

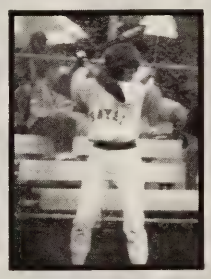
Special Awards

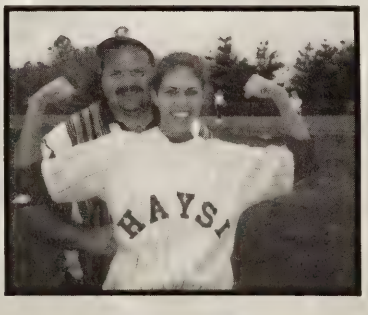
Most Improved: Amy Coleman
Ms. Hustle: Whitney Tiller
Best Offense: Vanessa Castle & Tonya Yates
Best Defense: Jennifer Hall
All District: Tonya Yates, Tabitha Yates, Amy Coleman, Whitney Tiller, & Vanessa Castle











Senior

Tabitha Yates #24

Senior

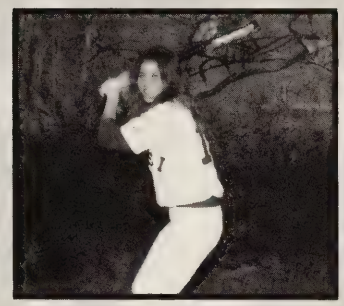
Tonya Yates #21

Senior

Alesha Justice #5

Junior

Danielle Mullins #17



Sophomore

Whitney Tiller #15

Sophomore

Brandi Viers #20

Sophomore

Ruth Yates #12

Sophomore

Audra Barton #47

Sophomore

Amy Coleman #7

Sophomore

Jessica Souleyrette #43

Sophomore

Vanessa Castle #14

Freshman

Jennifer Hall #23

Freshman

Shasta Viers #10

Freshman

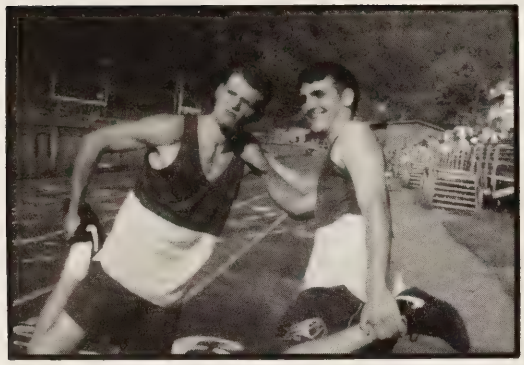
Sarah Deel #18

Freshman

Carnita Owens #34

B.D.D. Champs

Track & Field



We don't want any pulled muscles, do we? No we don't.

Can someone please pull up my shorts? I'm trying to throw this thing.

How do I get down from here?

98'

Boy, I'm tired.

Big muscles make us run faster.

This ain't so hard.

I think I can.
I think I can.
I think I can.

I'm Kory Bostic, I can fly like a bird.

I sure hope my deodorant works today.

91' 92' 93' 97' 94'

90'

89'

88'

87'

86'

85'

84'

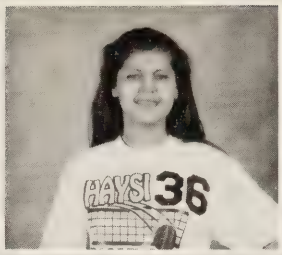
80' 81' 82'

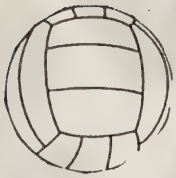
First Row, (sitting L to R): Daniel Bowens, Merdia Mullins, Matthew Perrigan, Cody Ireson, Isaac Mackey Second Row: Burton Yates, Shane Wallace, Jason Deel, Josh Swiney, Jared Genco, Derrick Yates Third Row: Kory Bostic, Brett Compton, Sam Deel, Chris Oakquinn, Chris (Goob) Gilbert, Nathan Hall, Coach James Colley

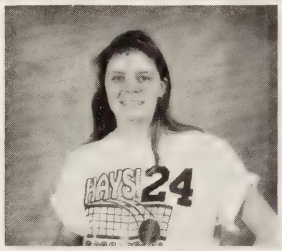
TRACK & FIELD

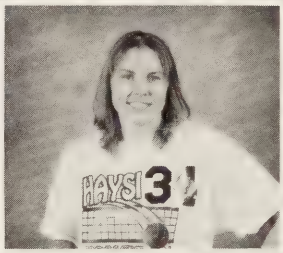
HHS GIRLS TRACK TEAM INCLUDES:
L TO R: Jennifer Cox, Kelly Riley, Heather Hearl, Valerie Deel, Shyloe Stites

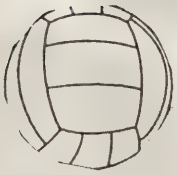
'98-99' Varsity Girls

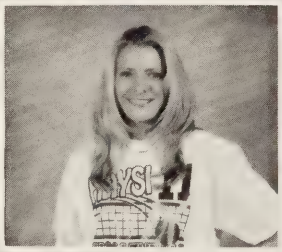








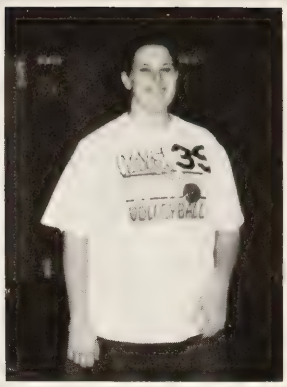


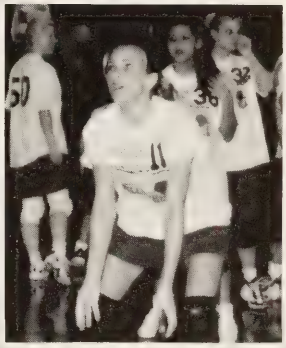
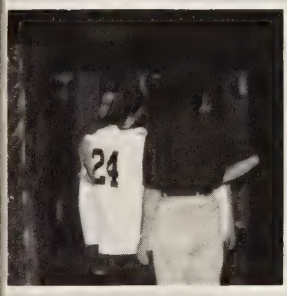


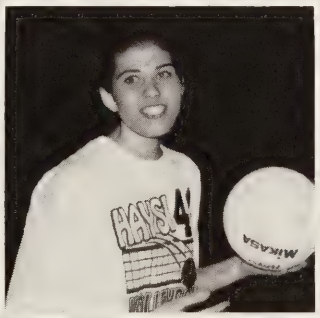
Last year's volleyball team recorded 9 wins and 4 losses which was the most wins for a Haysi Volleyball Team. This year's team seems very promising even though we have many new faces on the court. The team looks very strong this year. Our goal is to win a Black Diamond District Championship and be competitive at the regional level.

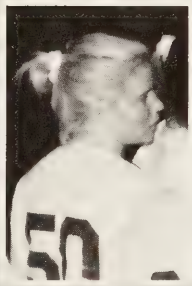
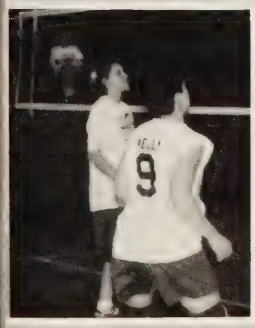
Judy Compton

Volleyball Team





J.V. Basketball Cheerleaders

CAPTAIN

VALERIE DEEL

FRESHMAN

MELINDA FULLER

FRESHMAN

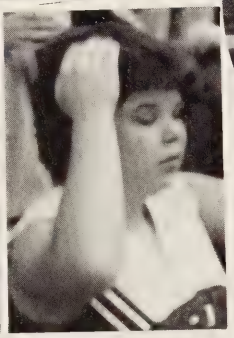
SHENNA EDWARDS

FRESHMAN

BRITTANY ROGERS

FRESHMAN

JESSICA DANCEL



FRESHMAN

HEATHER ERICKSON

FRESHMAN

SHELIA STANLEY

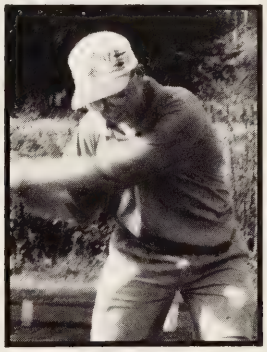
COACHES

MR. MINION & MRS. BARTON

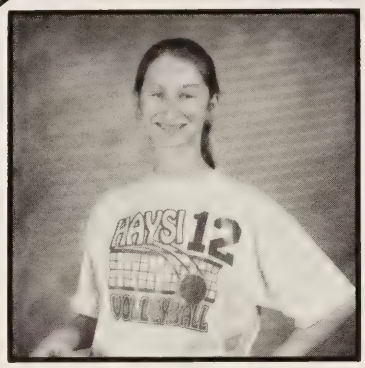
The 1998 Haysi Tiger Golf team had a strong season with several wins. The team also had success in the B.D.D. tournament, coming in second only 5 strokes behind.

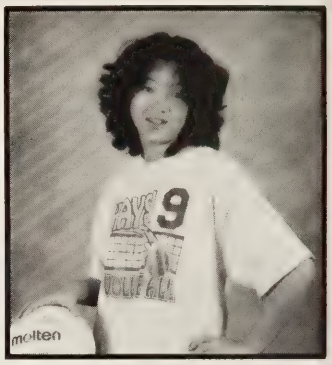
Pictured from left to right: Ryan Woods, Matt Puckett, Kory Bostic, Garrick Tackett, Juan Puckett, and Coach Ina Turner.

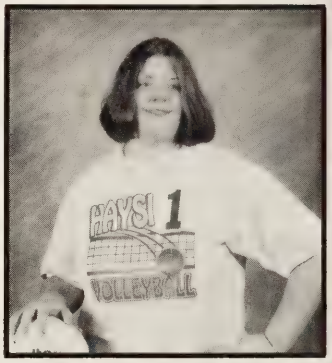
1998 GOLF Golf



J.V. VOLLEYBALL 98-99







Angela B.
Kayla C.
Shena E.
Sabrina E.
Sarah J.

Amanda L.
Birgit M.
Julya M.
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Jessica S.
Tomoko S.
Kayla V.
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Beth V.

J.V. Football

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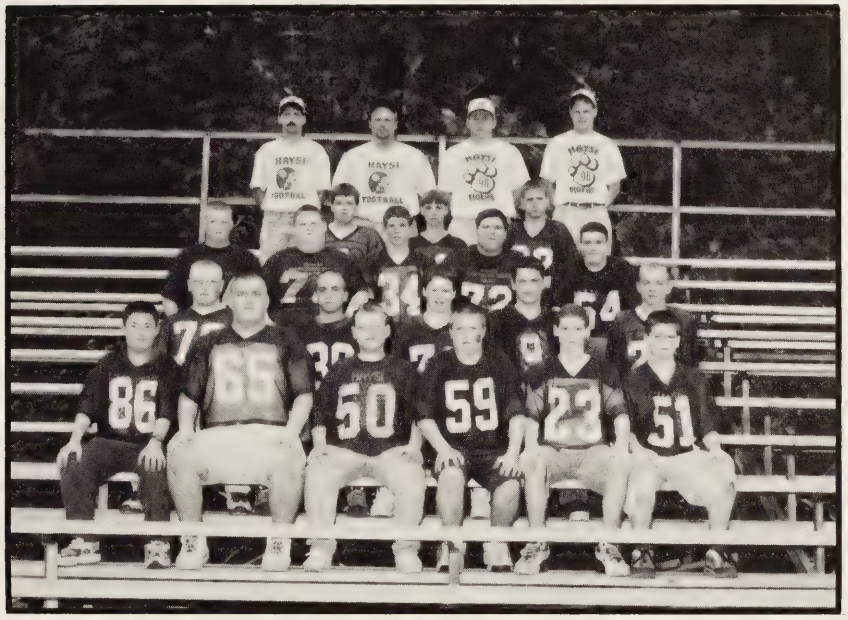

HURLEY	TIGERS	OPPONENTS
HURLEY	24	0
HONAKER	40	8
ERVINTON	36	6
GARDEN	32	0
GARDEN	30	12
HONAKER	12	0
	26	0
	200	26

The 8th and 9th grade football team enjoyed a very successful 1998 season. The squad went undefeated en route to winning the first ever junior varsity Black Diamond District Championship. The team showed progress each week through excellent coaching, hard work, and determination. They will provide the varsity with some outstanding prospects for the future.

Coaches

1998 Junior Varsity BDD Champs

Jessie

Heather

Shana

Beth

Candace

Jessica

Kayla

Megan

Amy

Sarah Beth

The 1998 J.V. Girls Basketball Team overcame youth and inexperience to become the winningest J.V. girls team at Haysi over the last couple of decades. With 2 very big wins over Grundy and a couple of 4th quarter comebacks against Clintwood and Garden, these girls demonstrated throughout the season their "Refuse to lose" attitude. The team capped a perfect 21-0 with a very gutty second half comeback in the championship game against Honaker. They won the game 37-26 and completed their 2nd consecutive undefeated season and extended their winning streak to 41 games. Congratulations girls, you should be very proud of your accomplishments — I know I am.

Thanks team,
David Sutherland

Danielle

Ashley

Ashley

J.V. BOYS BASKETBALL

JORDAN

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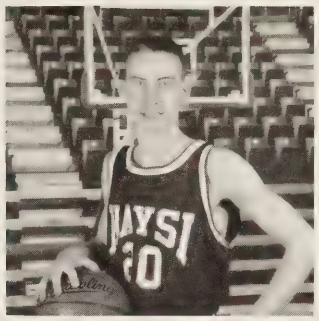
GREG



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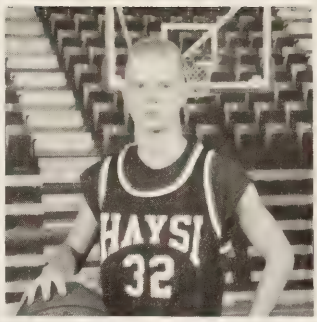

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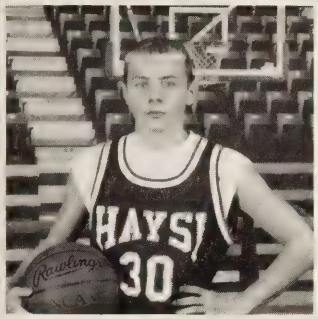

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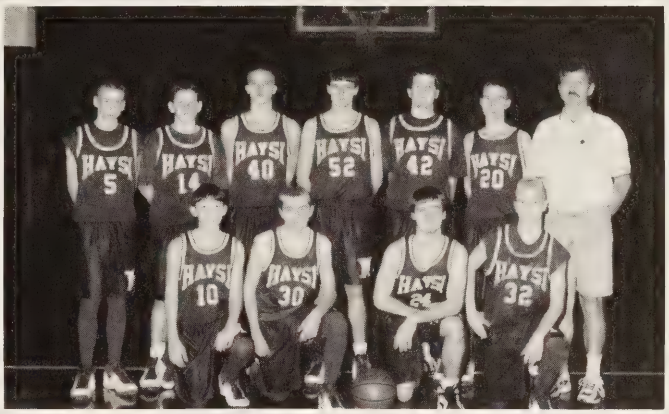

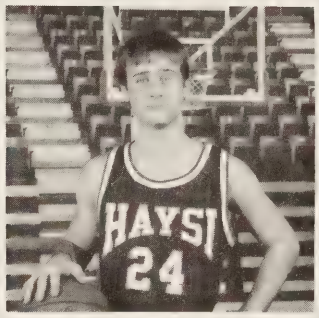

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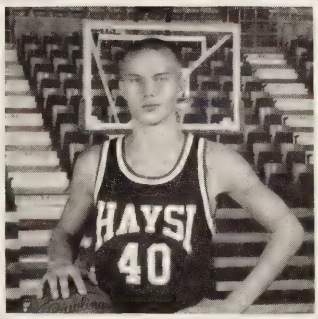

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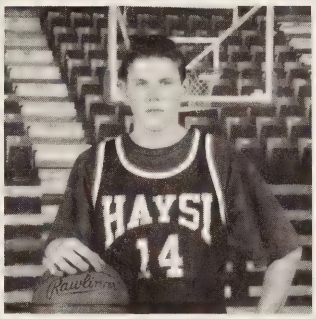

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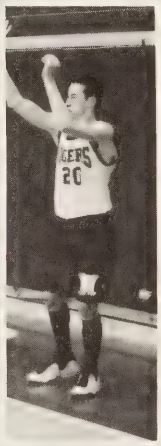

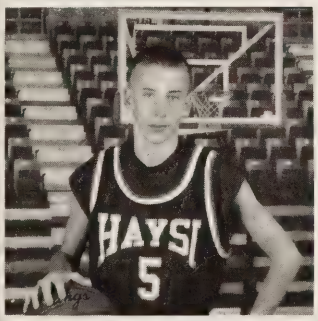

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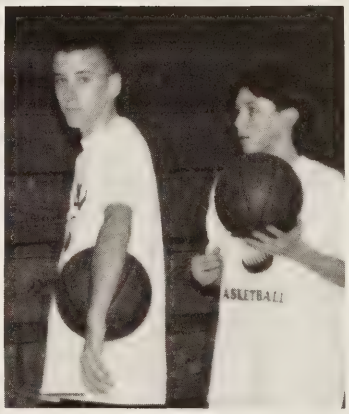

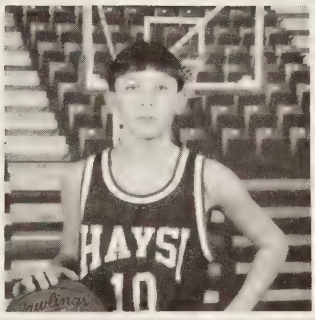

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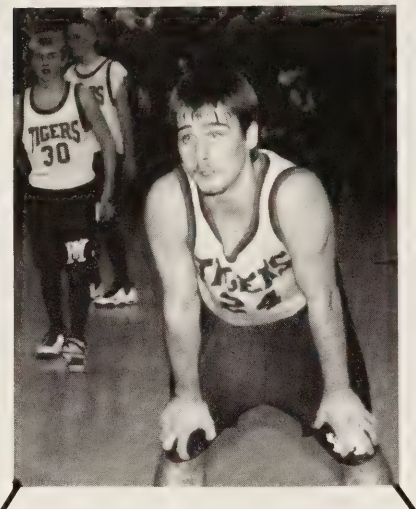
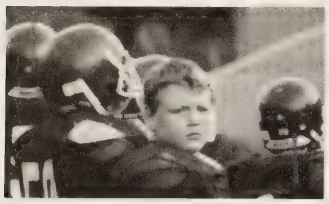
J.V. Sports





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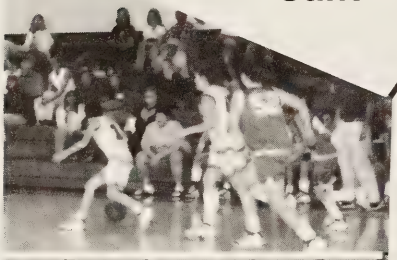

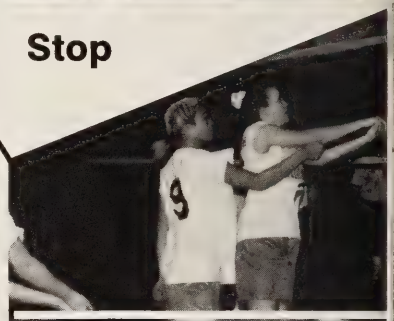

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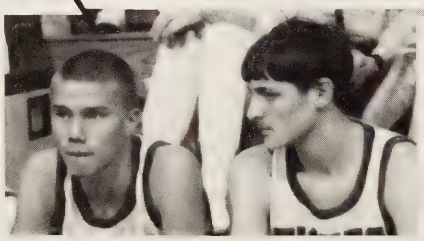

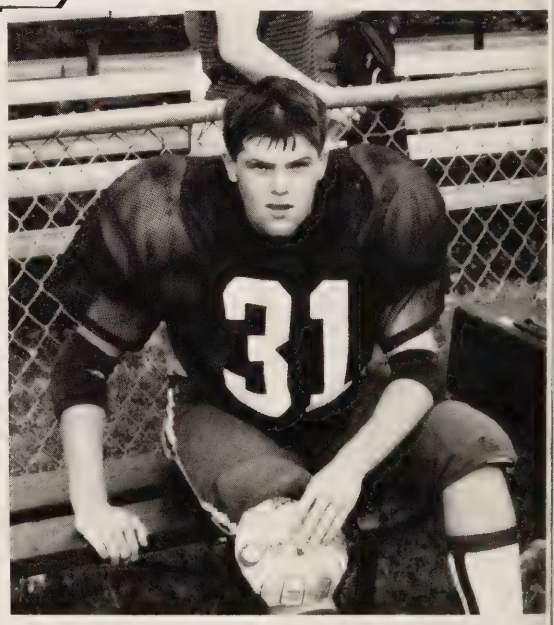

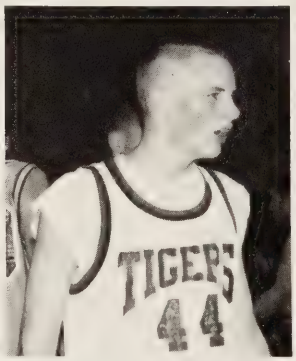

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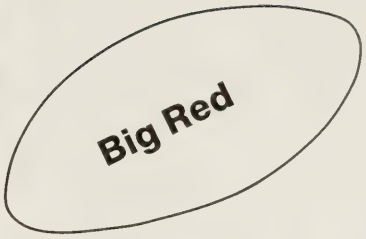
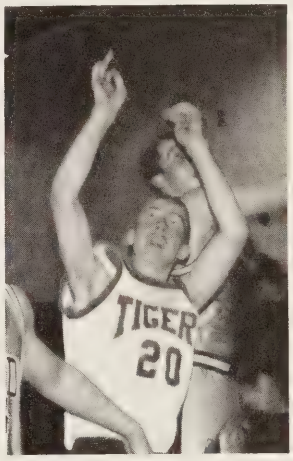


Cheerleading

Basketball

Volleyball

Football



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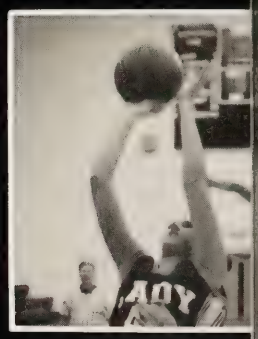

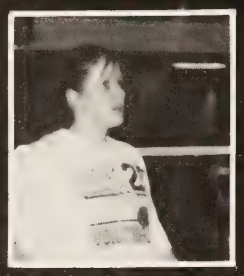

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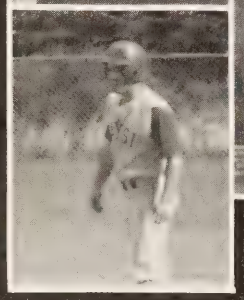
All Sports



Baseball

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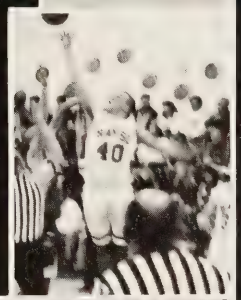
Girls Basketball



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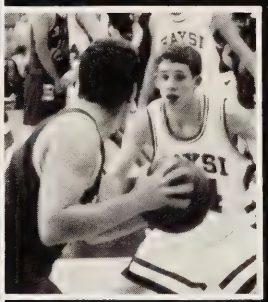

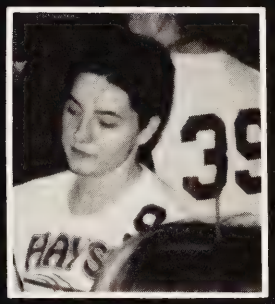

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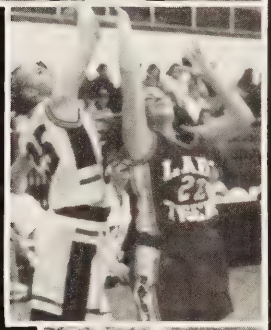

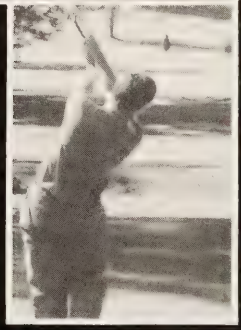

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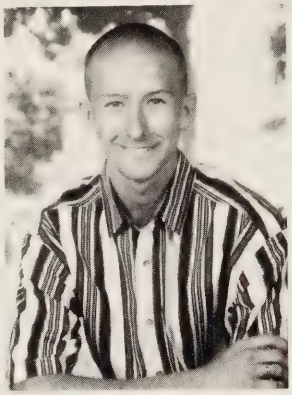
Danyelle, Our Precious Daughter,
U have been nestled in the comforts of our little home 4 18 years. But as a bird must leave it's nest 2 learn 2 fly, so 2 must U. May God's love embrace U and keep U safe and happy. Look 2 Jesus 4 all your answers.
With love beyond measure, Mom & Dad

Gaylup, Our Precious Daughter,
You are pretty, sweet, and kind. We love you more all the time. We feel in our heart and soul, you will do good wherever you go. Hope you do well in the future as you have in the past, our love for you will last and last.
With love always, Mom & Dad

Sharonda, My Daughter,
I can't believe my baby will soon be graduating. Whatever your future plans are keep God in your heart and he will guide you and give him thanks for guiding you. Our love will always be with you.
We love you always, Mom and Sis

Danielle, My Lovely Daughter,
The world is yours, you made it, now go for it!
Love always, Mom



Craig, Our Precious Son,
We are so thankful that God gave you to us. You are a fine young man. Strive for your goals and follow your heart, we know you will succeed.
Love you always, Mom, Dad, Sis "99"

Thumper, Our Son and Brother,
You are a joy beyond compare. Truly we have been blessed. Your young life has had many ups and downs, but God has been in control from the start. Our prayer is that the Lord will continue to guide you and protect you as a new chapter of your life begins. Psalm 91.
Love, Mom, Dad, Deana, John, Faith and Jerri

Kory, Our Boy,
We could tell from the moment we saw you were special. In life you share those that are special. Remember we're here for you and God is everywhere. Live life to the fullest be happy.
We love you always, Mom & Dad

Matthew Our Son,
We are so very proud of you for all you have accomplished and, more importantly, for the person you are. We know you will succeed in whatever you choose to do. May God bless you.
We love you, Mom and Dad

Amanda, Our Precious Star,
Amanda you were our first Granddaughter. We looked forward 2 your birth and when U were here, our star was borned. We are so proud of U, your beauty, personality, and love of God. We pray God's blessing on you.
We love U so very much,
Mommaw and Poppaw

Kelly, My Sunshine,
You have brought brightness to our lives in everyway, we love you very much. Wherever you go and whatever you decide to do you can always count on our support. You are the best daughter anyone could have.
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Danyelle, My Love,
You are the most important thing in my life. I love U very much. I want to spend eternity with U. I love U, ova the sun and unda the moon and thru the stars with all my heart 4 eva and eva. I love U Danyelle!
Love always, now till forever,
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Amanda, Our Precious Sapphire,
We had waited so long for you, a precious baby girl. We loved all your joys, and cried with you in sorrows, helping to build the person you are now. You are our pride and joy. Walk with the Lord and he will be there.
We love you very much,
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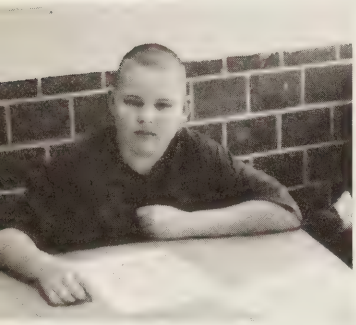
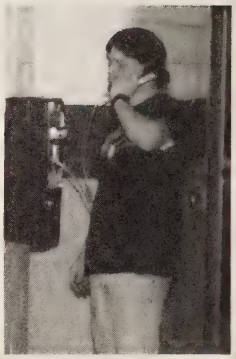
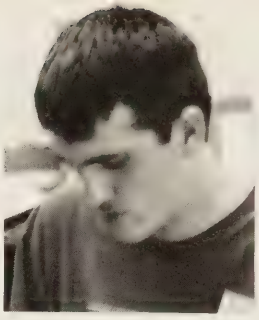
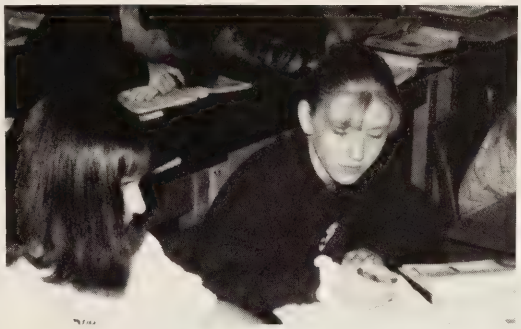
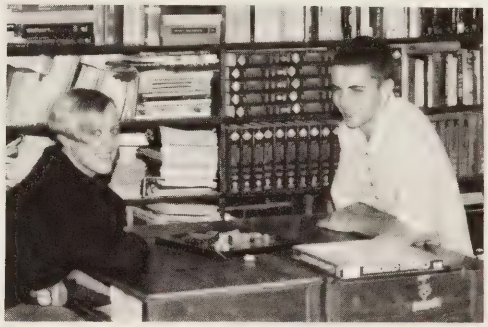
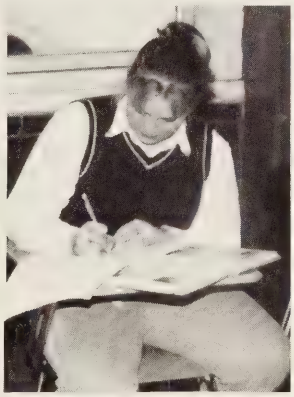
Congratulations Graduates!

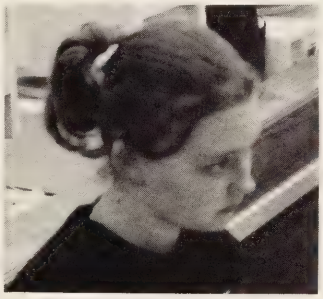


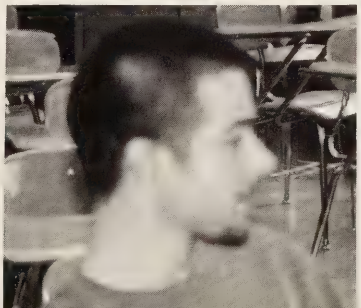










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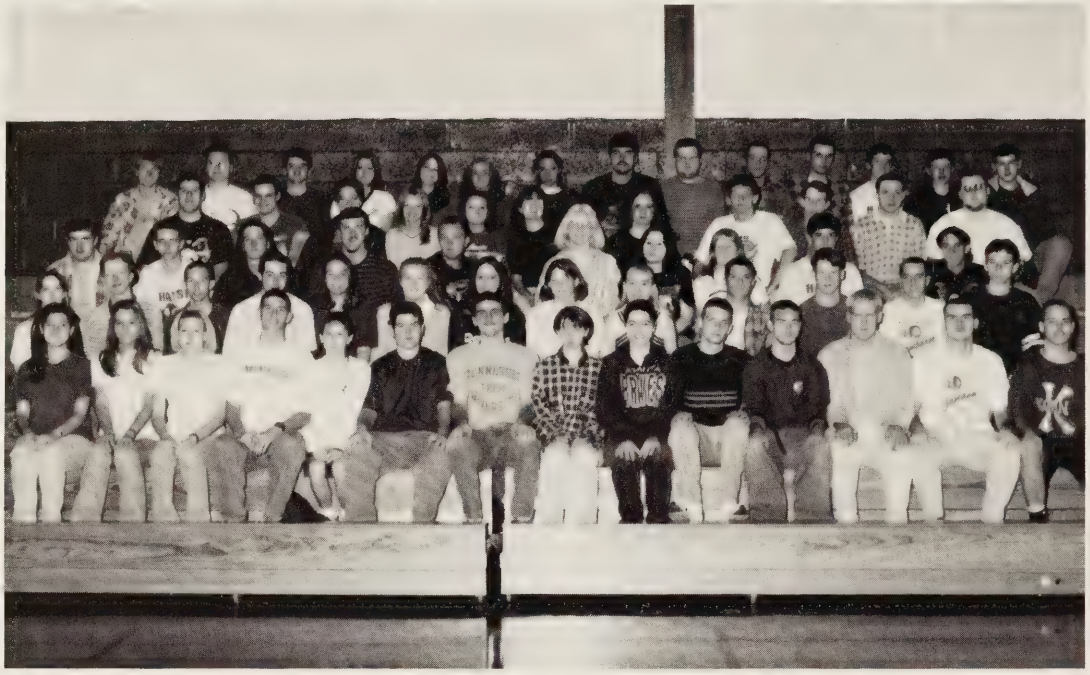

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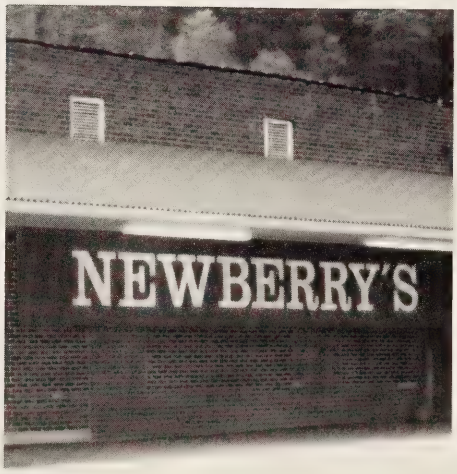

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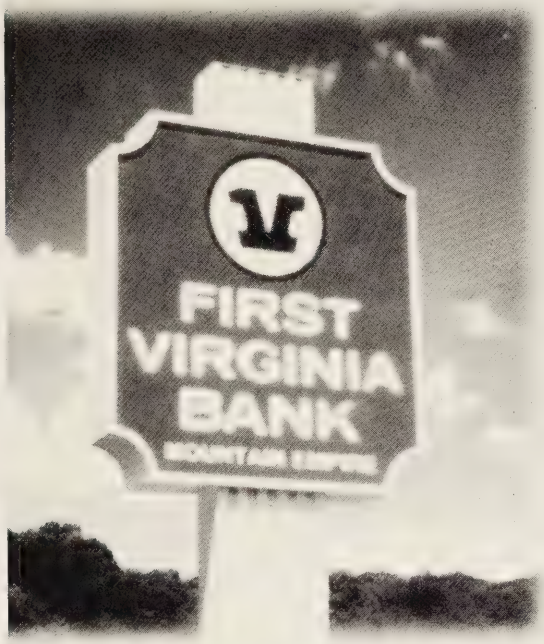

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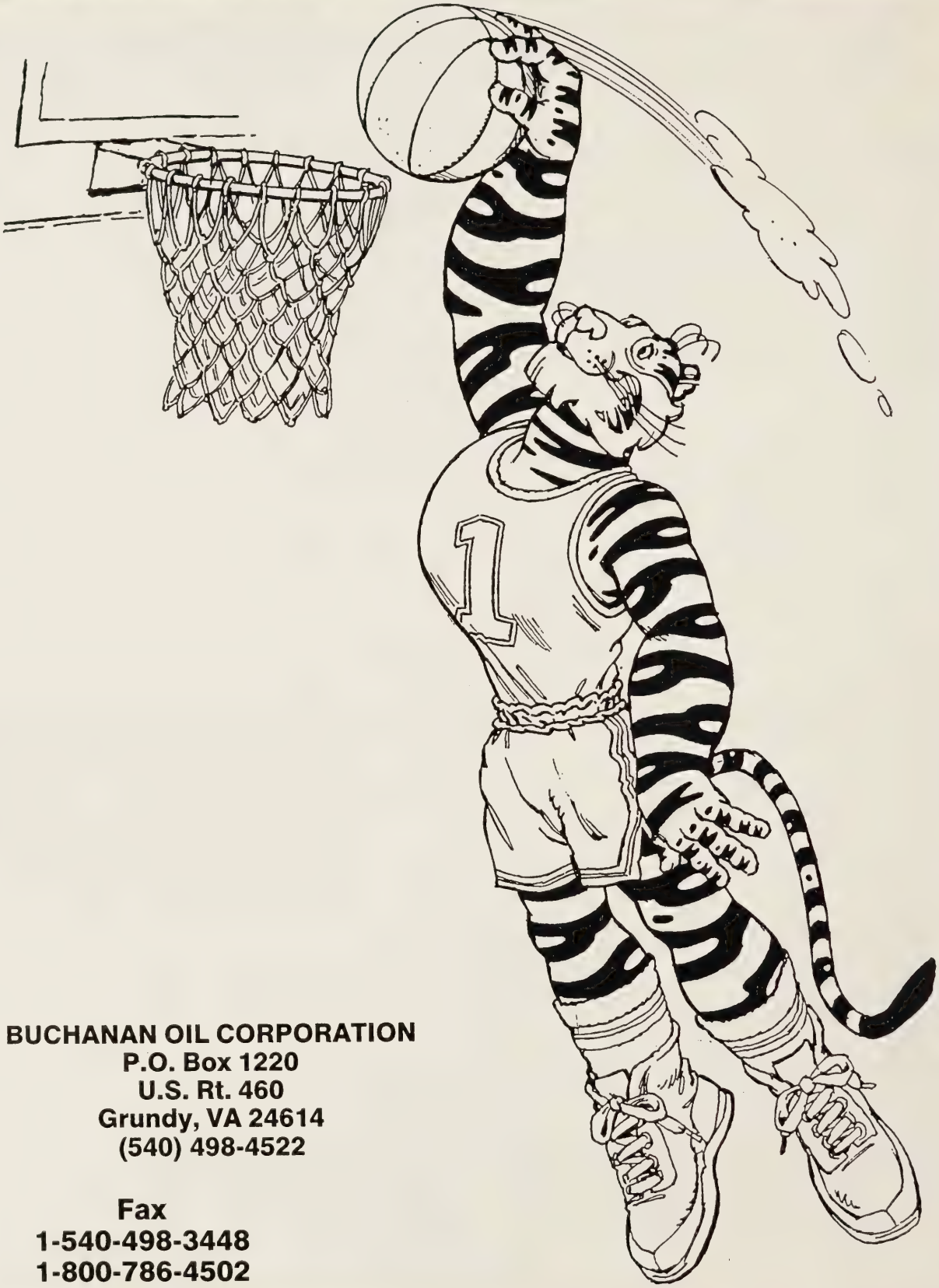

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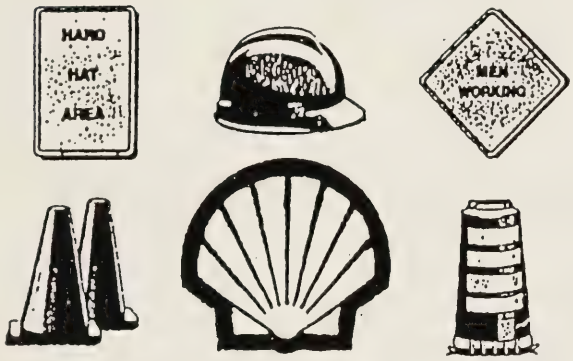

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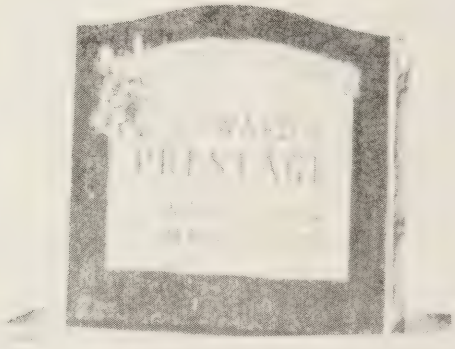

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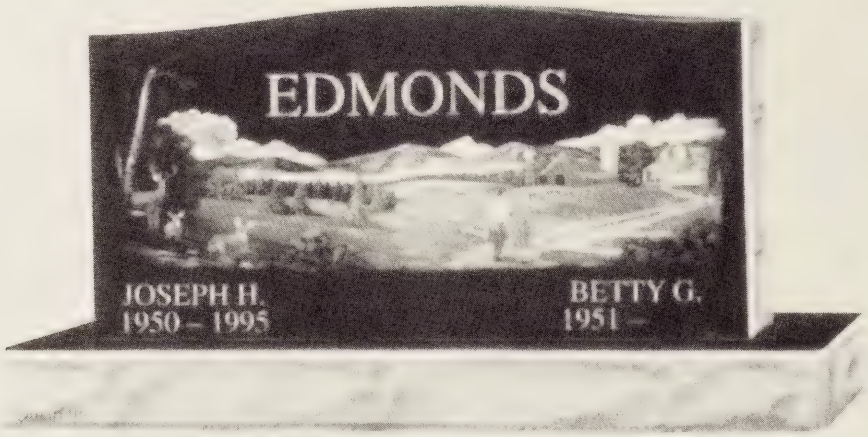

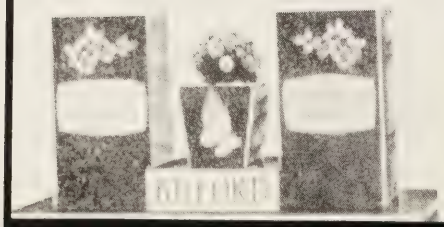

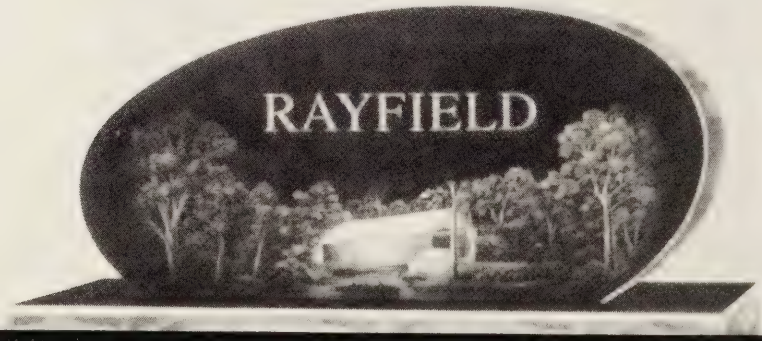

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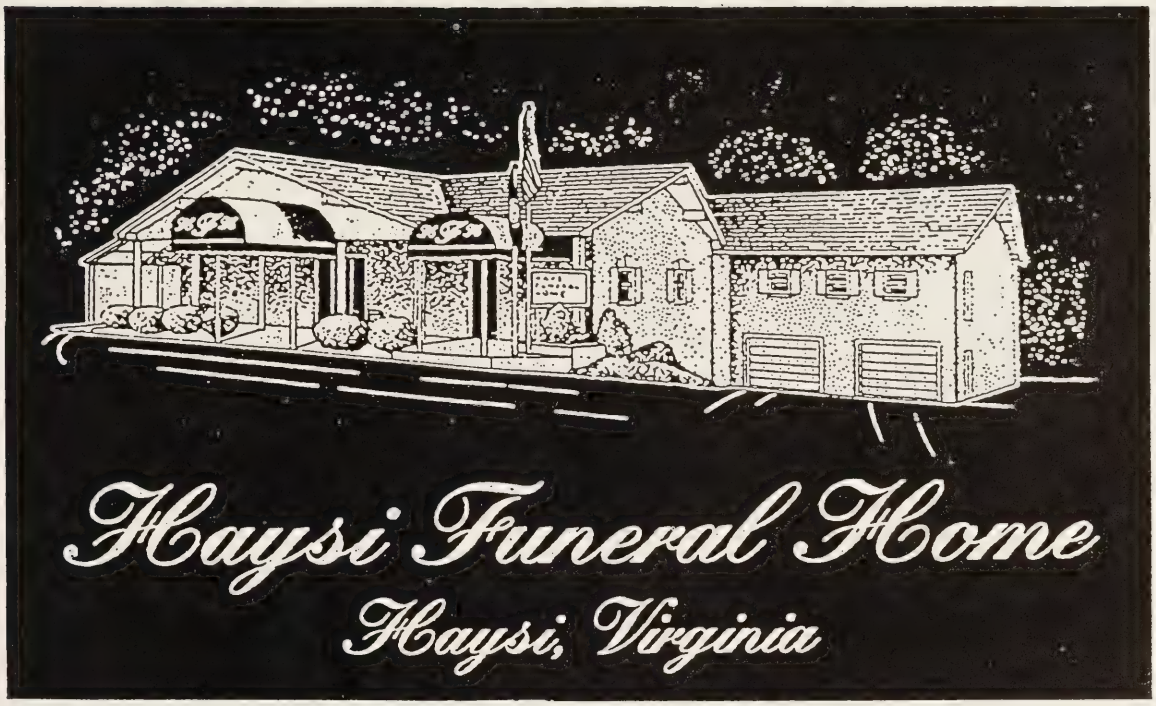

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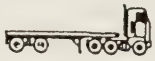

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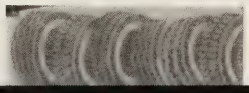

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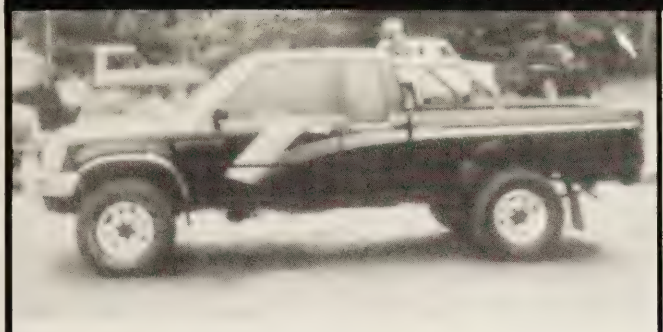

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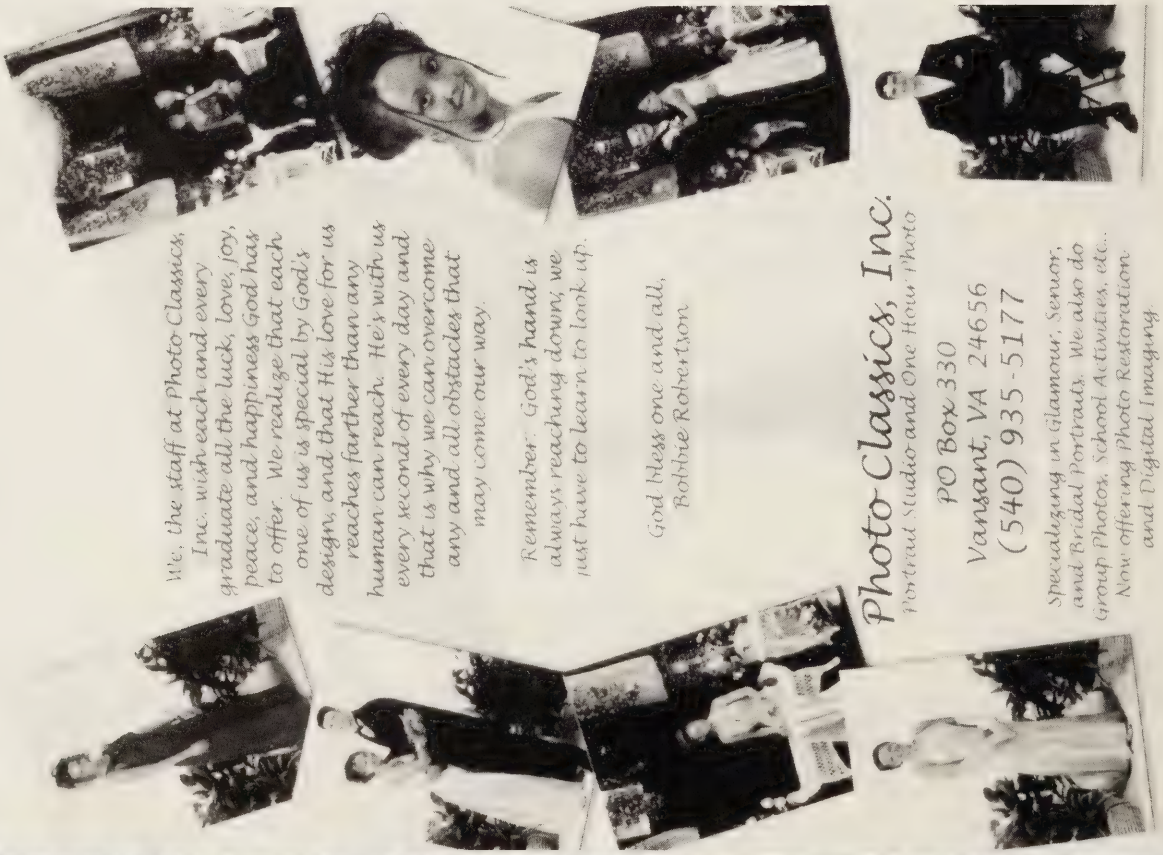

Haysi High School Marching Band Boosters

Sue Mullins flipping funnel cakes!

Gail Edward's specialty is hamburgers!

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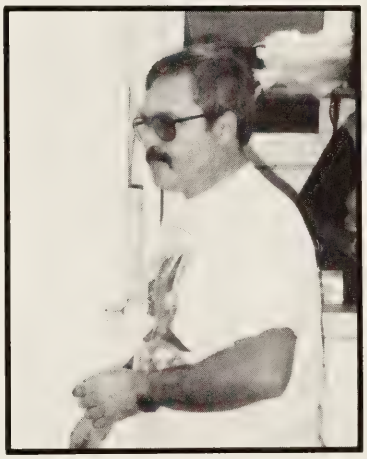
Slow time at concession stand!

Carter Harrison, trying to look busy!



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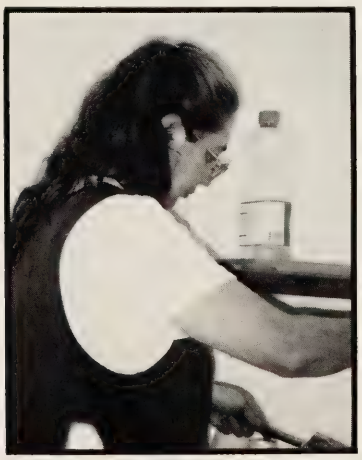

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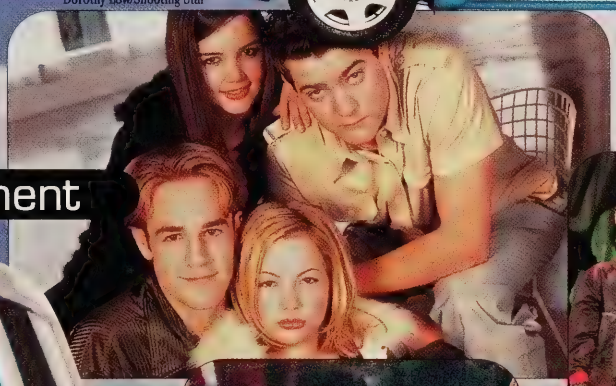

Dorothy Low/Shooting Star

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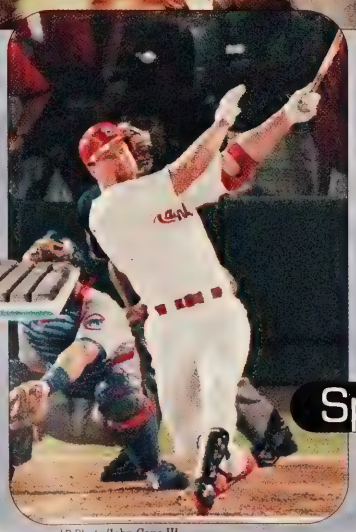

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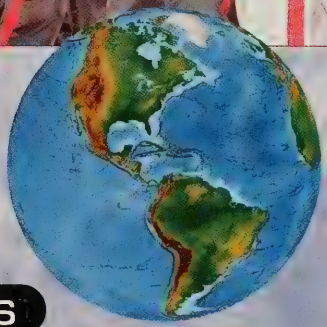

World News

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A total collapse of the Russian ruble sends world markets into chaos. Boris Yeltsin asks Viktor Chernomyrdin to head the government to help restore political and economic stability.

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French high school students demand more teachers, better equipment and buildings and a lighter course load in an October protest in Paris. The French government designates $40 million annually over the next four years, as well as 1,000 new teaching posts.

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A discotheque fire in Goteborg, Sweden, kills 67 teens and injures several more, making it the deadliest fire in modern Swedish history. Arson is the suspected cause of the October fire

Courtesy Partnership for a Drug Free America

After a U.N. drug summit in which 150 countries endorse an anti-drug campaign, the U.S. vows to spend an estimated $1 billion over the next five years on anti-drug advertising, corporate and civic partnerships and promotion.

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A memorial commemorating the first anniversary of the death of Princess Diana and Dodi Fayed is put on display in London's Harrods department store, which is owned by Dodi's father.

In a dangerous escalation of hostile feelings in the area, India begins nuclear bomb testing in response to Pakistan's testing of the Ghauri missile.

Baldev/Sygma

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On September 2, Swissair Flight 111 crashes in the sea in Peggy's Cove, Nova Scotia, Canada, killing all 229 passengers and crew aboard. A cockpit wiring fire is the suspected cause of the disaster.

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In retaliation for the African embassy bombings, the U.S. attacks a suspected chemical weapons factory in the capital of Sudan and a terrorist training camp in Afghanistan, and launches a worldwide search for suspected mastermind Osama bin Laden.

World News

On August 7, powerful bombs explode outside the U.S. embassies in Kenya and Tanzania killing 248 people, including 12 Americans, and injuring more than 5,000.

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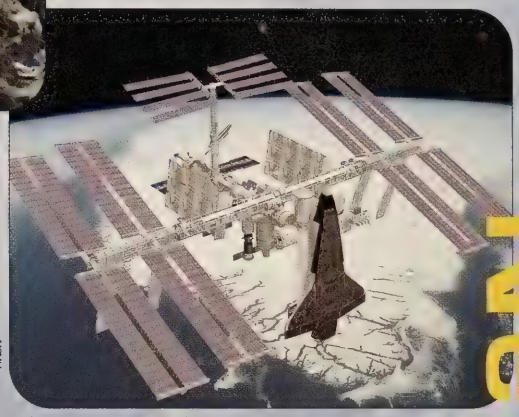
NASA and Russia will conduct 45 missions to launch and assemble the International Space Station *Alpha*. Set for completion by 2004, the station will be powered by almost an acre of solar panels and will weigh almost one million pounds.



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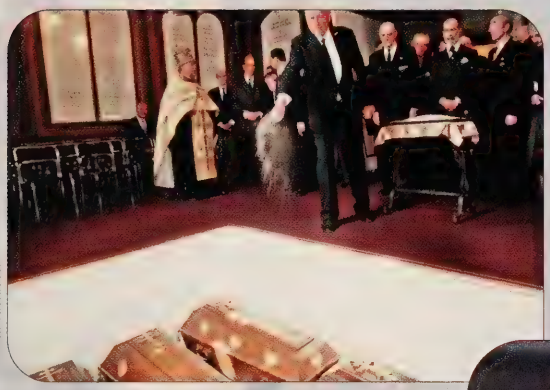

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The remains of Czar Nicholas II and his family, killed in 1918 in Central Russia and buried in a mass grave, are exhumed and laid to rest in St. Petersburg.

Gary Hershorn/Reuters

President Clinton becomes the first U.S. leader to visit China since the Tiananmen Square massacre in 1989. Many criticize Clinton for his apparent leniency toward China's human rights restrictions.

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The worst summer flooding in China since 1954 kills 3,000 people, destroys 17 million homes and affects one-fifth of the country's population.

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Hurricane Mitch ravages parts of Central America and kills more than 10,000 people, making it the second deadliest storm in the region's history.

After months of negotiations, Swiss banks and Jewish groups reach a $1.25 billion settlement in a lawsuit filed by thousands of Holocaust survivors to recover lost savings.

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On January 1, 1999, the euro debuts as the new currency in 11 European Common Market countries. It will be three more years before euro coins and cash are officially put into circulation.

Flash

John Hume and David Trimble, Northern Ireland's two main political party leaders, win the Nobel Peace Prize for their efforts to end the violence that has plagued the British province for three decades.

After a stop in Mexico City in January 1999, Pope John Paul II arrives in St. Louis, Missouri, and celebrates Mass with over 100,000 people in attendance.

In January 1999, an earthquake that measures 6.0 on the Richter scale hits Colombia killing over 1,000 people.

King Hussein of Jordan, 63, dies on February 7, 1999, of lymphatic cancer. Hussein's 47-year reign made him the Middle East's longest-serving leader.

National News

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Convicted killer Martin Gurule escapes death row and is later found drowned in a nearby river. Gurule is the first Texas inmate to escape death row since 1934.

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President Clinton becomes the second president in history to be impeached. The House of Representatives charges him with two counts of obstruction of justice and perjury. The Senate acquits Clinton after a five-week trial.

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A massive Millennium Clock in New York City's garment district counts down the days, hours, minutes and seconds to the year 2000.

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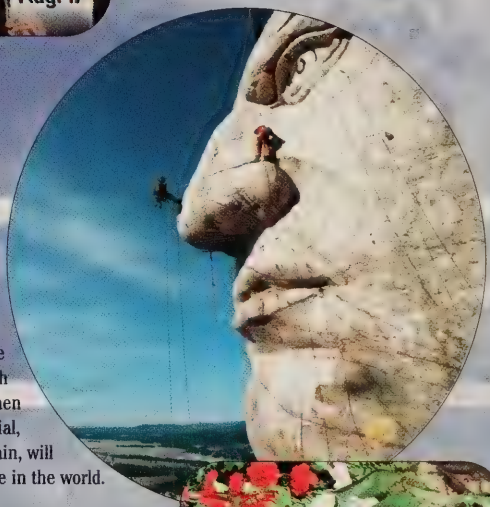
The U.S. Treasury unveils a new $20 bill designed to be much harder to counterfeit and more capable of withstanding heavy abuse.



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After 50 years of work, the face of Crazy Horse is revealed at the South Dakota monument. When completed, the memorial, carved out of a mountain, will be the largest sculpture in the world.

President Clinton declares the entire state of Florida a disaster area after fires burn over 300,000 acres and damage or destroy 150,000 homes.

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Sixteen of the 24 glass beads that historians believe were used to buy Manhattan Island from Native Indians in 1626 are donated to the Indian Museum of North America located at the Crazy Horse Memorial.

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In June, African-American James Byrd Jr., 49, is chained to the back of a truck and dragged to his death in Jasper, Texas, by three men, two of whom have ties to white supremacists.

National News

Mentally unstable Russell Eugene Weston Jr. charges into the U.S. Capitol building on July 24 and fatally shoots Special Agent John Gibson and Officer Jacob Chestnut.

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A Titanic exhibit tours the U.S. featuring over 200 artifacts and displays chronicling the fateful ship's maiden voyage and tragic sinking.

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Northwest Airlines pilots strike for 17 days in August and September causing more than 27,000 canceled flights and a loss of $338 million.

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Reform Party candidate Jesse Ventura shocks the nation when he wins the race for governor of Minnesota in November. Ventura is a former Navy Seal, pro wrestler and action movie actor.

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In response to family pressure, DNA testing confirms that remains buried in the Tomb of the Unknowns are those of Michael J. Blassie, an Air Force pilot shot down in Vietnam.

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In summer 1998, North Texas temperatures exceed 100 degrees for 45 days. The state's heat deat toll climbs to 132 and fires burn over 344,000 acres.

In September, Hurricane Georges crashes through the Florida Keys and Mississippi. The killer storm causes the largest mandatory evacuation in Florida history, and Mississippi victims receive over $131 million in aid.

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Matthew Shepard, a 21-year-old gay student at the University of Wyoming, dies five days after being brutally attacked in an apparent hate crime. Vigils in his memory are held across the country.

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Flash

In August, General Motors Corporation and United Auto Workers reach an agreement that ends an eight-week strike

President Clinton announces the federa government ends the 1998 fiscal year with a budget surplus of $70 billion, the first surplus since 1969.

More than 280 colleges now admit some or all of their applicants without regard to SAT or ACT scores. Many schools say the system improves the academic quality and diversity of their student bodies.

DNA tests determine that Rebecca Chittum was unknowingly switched wit Callie Conley at a Virginia hospital afte their births three years ago. This case prompts a national debate on the need for stricter hospital procedures.

Science News

NASA

NASA's Lunar Prospector finds scattered pockets of ice beneath the lunar surface. The presence of water could enable astronauts to use the moon as a kind of space-based filling station.

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An analysis of Eastern Seaboard weather shows it really does rain more frequently on weekends than during the week, an average of 22 percent more. Automobile emission patterns are the suspected cause of the phenomenon.

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Columbia University graduate student Elizabeth Brannon and psychology professor Herbert Terrace demonstrate that monkeys can master simple arithmetic on at least the level of a two-year-old child.

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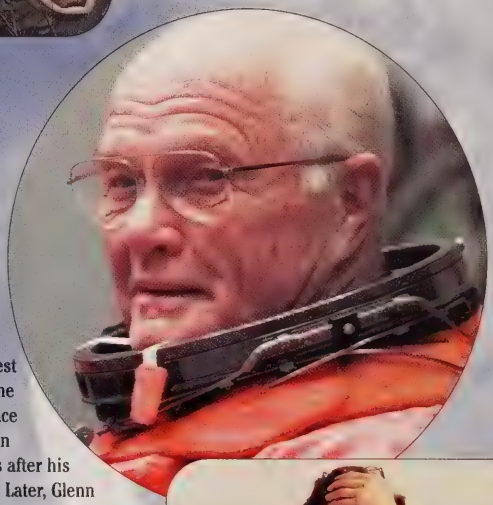
Apple's translucent aqua-blue iMac personal computer, its first consumer offering in years, is marketed mainly for Internet usage and, therefore, doesn't come with a disk drive. Its popularity soars and it soon becomes available in several other colors.



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John Glenn, 77, becomes the oldest astronaut when he undertakes a space shuttle mission in October, 36 years after his first space flight. Later, Glenn retires from a 24-year career in the U.S. Senate.

The comet Tempel-Tuttle causes a meteor storm when it passes by Earth. The comet will be visible again in fall 1999, after which it won't reappear for another 32 years.

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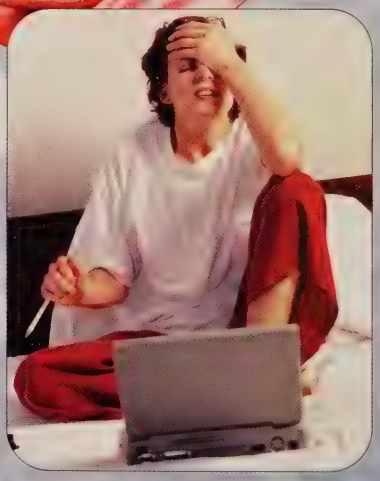
A computerized T-shirt, woven with fiber optics and electrically conducted thread, may soon monitor the health of soldiers, rescuers, the elderly and others who are medically vulnerable.



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A study demonstrates that the more hours people spend on the Internet, the more depressed, stressed and lonely they feel.

Science News

The USDA announces that a 25-millisecond blast of 270-degree steam applied to meat kills 99.99 percent of the bacteria. This process follows the unpopular method of irradiation.

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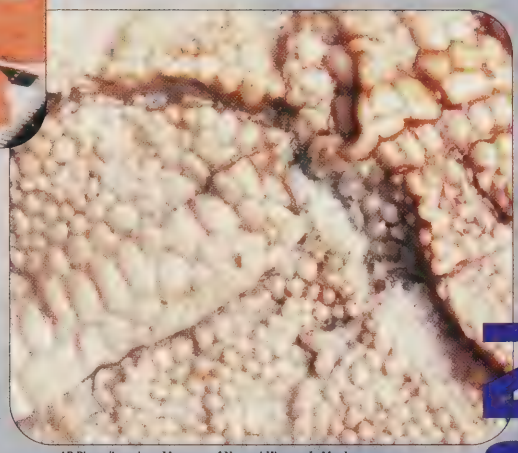
Paleontologists in Argentina discover thousands of shards of fossilized dinosaur eggs. Several shards contain the fossilized remains of unhatched embryos and their never-before-seen embryo skin.



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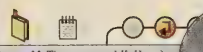

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Chemistry professor Claude Yoder co-authors "Interactive Chemistry," a CD-ROM that uses animation to lead students through chemistry problems, eliminating the need for a textbook.

Duffin McGee/Reuters

The FDA withholds medical approval of St. John's Wort, the popular herbal supplement widely believed to relieve depression. However, American consumer demand has led to its use in everything from lipstick to potato chips.

Purdue University

Researchers discover a gene that may cause the aggressive behavior of "killer bees." This knowledge may help tame African bees, whose sting has deterred beekeepers from tending hives.

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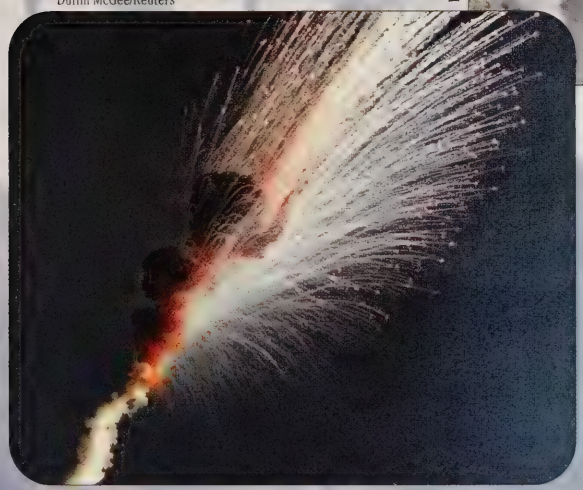
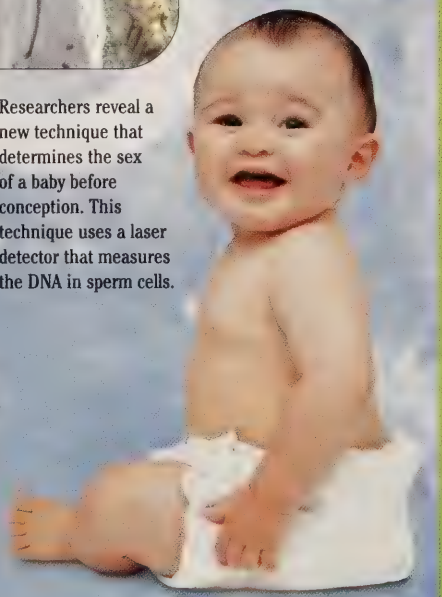
Alan Shepard, the first American in space, dies on July 22 at the age of 74.



On August 12, the $1 billion Titan 4 rocket explodes 42 seconds after liftoff. The rocket payload included a highly classified Defense Department satellite.

Researchers reveal a new technique that determines the sex of a baby before conception. This technique uses a laser detector that measures the DNA in sperm cells.



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Astronomers discover and photograph a planet outside our solar system that is about 450 light years away from Earth.

Alabama hairdresser Philip McCory discovers that human hair soaks up oil from water, which prompts NASA to investigate ways to use human hair to clean oil spills.

In August, renowned Houston heart surgeon Dr. Denton Cooley performs open-heart surgery which is broadcast live on the America's Health Network Internet web site.

David Scott, who lost his left hand in a fireworks accident, receives the first U.S. human hand transplant in January 1999. Scott has regained limited motion in his donor hand.

Lifestyle News

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Lovegety, a palm-sized matchmaking device, is the latest craze with Japanese teenagers. When it comes within 15 feet of another Lovegety, high-pitched beepers go off, lights flash, and the "love detectors" display whether the users' preset interests match. It's now available in the U.S.

A *USA Today* investigation reveals that many of the nation's safe drinking water regulations are not being enforced. The report reveals that even the worst violations have just a 1 in 10 chance of drawing legal action.

AP Photo/Koji Sasahara

PlayStation's® "Crash Bandicoot: WARPED" supersedes its popular predecessors. Also new is Crash's sister Coco who gallops along the Great Wall of China and cruises through enemy-infested waters.

AP Photo/Ed Bailey

Furby, the year's must-have interactive toy, has a vocabulary of 200 words in both English and its own language, "Furbish." Furby knows when it is being petted, when the lights go out, when music starts, and if there's another Furby in the room.

Kurt Duncan

Appearing in malls in 33 states, job kiosks dispense employment opportunities for interested applicants. Job seekers enter their skills and ambitions and the machine scans its database for a match.

WildEyes contact lenses feature several designs, including a starburst, black eight ball and cat's eyes. The $165 lenses come in prescription and non-prescription and don't interfere with eyesight.

AP Photo/Charles Dharapak

Library of Congress/Corbis

Consumer groups demand the recall of Olestra from the market, or at least the adoption of strict guidelines as to its use, after thousands of people become sick from eating the popular fat substitute. However, studies suggest that chips made with Olestra do not cause greater stomach problems than regular chips.

In December, Selective Service activates online registration. Eighteen-year-olds can now register instantly instead of filling out forms at the post office that take two to three months to process.

Lifestyle News

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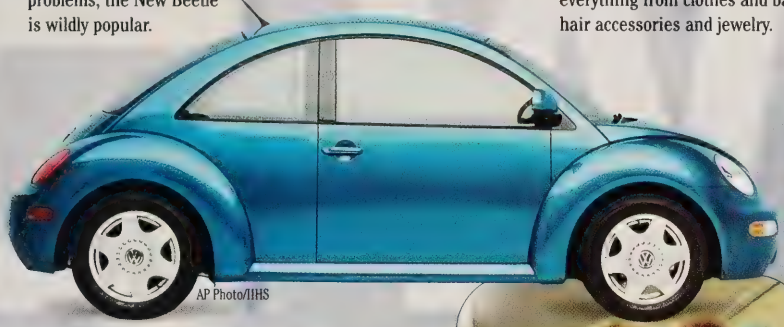
As the need for toll-free numbers greatly increases, the 887 prefix joins the 800 and 888 prefixes already in use.

Butterflies and dragonflies are the hot motif in the fashion world appearing on everything from clothes and bags to hair accessories and jewelry.



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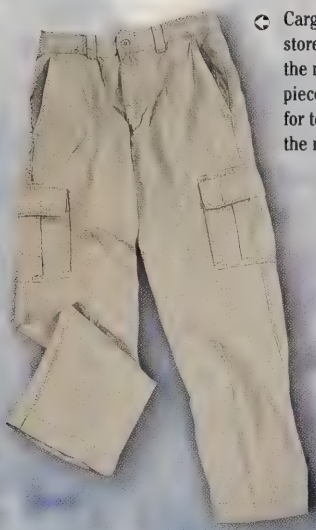
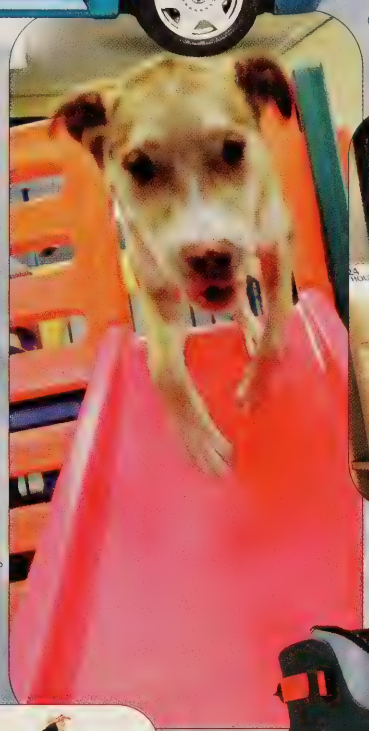
A sleek, redesigned version of the '60s Volkswagen Beetle enters the market. Despite a May 1998 recall for wiring problems, the New Beetle is wildly popular.



Cargo pants invade stores and become the must-have piece of apparel for teens across the nation.



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For $20-30 a day, trained professionals at dog and cat day cares will play with, read to, feed and pamper pets in their care.

Photo courtesy of Mr. Payroll Corporation

Mr. Payroll is the first ATM that can cash a check – even for someone without a bank account. The machine "memorizes" facial features and matches them with a social security number to verify the user's identity.

Courtesy Balanced Body

Pilates, a low-impact form of exercise that uses unique equipment and deep stretching techniques, becomes popular with men and women.

Rollerblade introduces durable, all-terrain in-line skates that can traverse dirt paths and rocky trails. The large-wheeled skates retail for a cool $600.

Flash

In hopes of reducing the divorce rate, the Florida legislature passes the nation's first law requiring that high school students be taught marital and relationship skills.

In the wake of grim automobile accident statistics, California is one of several states to pass stricter teenage licensing laws.

Spurred by fierce competition, colleges and universities are going online to offer students a new way to get an education. Florida State and New York University are a few jumping on board.

The average home Internet user spends 25 hours a year waiting for web pages to load.

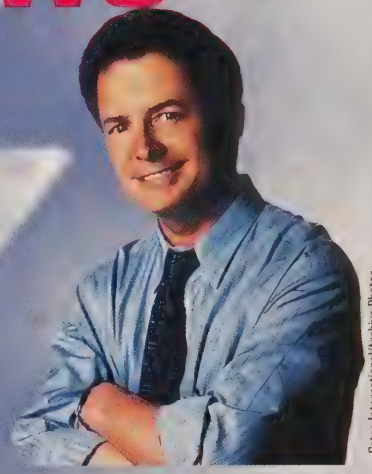
Entertainment News

AP Photo/NBC, Jeff Katz

Heartthrob George Clooney announces 1998-99 will be his last season on NBC's award-winning television drama, "ER."

AP Photo/Reed Saxon

NBC's "Frasier" makes history by winning its fifth consecutive outstanding comedy series award at the 50th annual Emmy Awards. Kelsey Grammer, in the title role, wins his third Emmy as best comedy actor.



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In November, ABC's "Spin City" star Michael J. Fox, 37, reveals he has Parkinson's disease. Fox underwent brain surgery in March 1998 in an attempt to relieve severe tremors.

Radica Games

Trail Burner, a hand-held mountain bike racing game, uses motion sensors to turn corners and jump hills and water pits. Crashes make the handlebars vibrate.

AP Photo/Touchstone Pictures, HO

Adam Sandler stars in the surprise hit *The Waterboy*, which earns a record $39.1 million in its November opening weekend.

Tom Hanks stars in Steven Spielberg's *Saving Private Ryan*, an authentic recreation of World War II's D-Day. The film receives 11 Oscar nominations.

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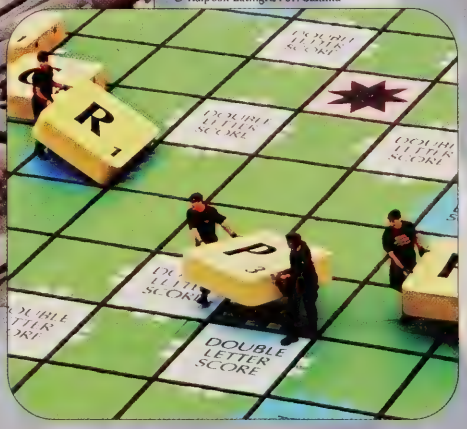

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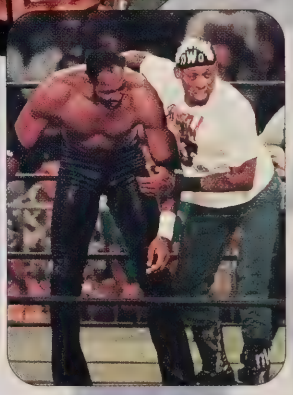
Britain's best Scrabble players commemorate the popular board game's 50th anniversary in October by playing in London's Wembley Stadium using letter tiles the size of dining tables.



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Karl Malone and Dennis Rodman face off in a World Championship Wrestling tag-team match. The event pits Rodman and Hollywood Hulk Hogan against Malone and Diamond Dallas Page.

Entertainment News

Walt Disney's *A Bug's Life* is one of at least 15 animated feature films that will flood the nation's theaters in the next two years.

AP Photo/Walt Disney, HO

In May 1998, the much-anticipated movie *Godzilla* opens to disappointing reviews and box office numbers. The epic leaves theaters quickly.

AP Photo/Courtesy Viewpoint Datalabs

Warner Bros./Shooting Star

In June, Keiko arrives in his native Iceland to begin his assimilation to his new surroundings. The move concludes a four-year campaign to release the five-ton star of the movie *Free Willy*.

Players of Vertical Reality, a combination video game and amusement ride, shoot at moving targets on a 24-foot-tall screen and sit in chairs that rise with each successful hit. The winner rides to the top for a grand view.

GameWorks

Dorothy Low/Shooting Star

The wildly popular stars of The WB network's "Dawson's Creek" hit the big screen, filming eight feature films during hiatus. Magazine covers by *TV Guide*, *Seventeen* and *Interview* fuel the craze.

AP Photo/WB, James Sorenson

The coming-of-age drama "Felicity" quickly gains popularity with teens. The WB show revolves around a young woman and her new experiences at college.

Flash

Megastars Bruce Willis and Demi Moore announce their separation in June after almost 11 years of marriage.

The American Film Institute rates the top 100 movies of the 20th century. The top ten include:
Citizen Kane, 1941
Casablanca, 1942
The Godfather, 1972
Gone With the Wind, 1939
Lawrence of Arabia, 1962
The Wizard of Oz, 1939
The Graduate, 1967
On the Waterfront, 1954
Schindler's List, 1993
Singin' in the Rain, 1952

Fans flock to theaters to see the two-minute trailer for *Star Wars: Episode I - The Phantom Menace* and many leave without staying to watch the main attraction. The prequel to the wildly popular Star Wars trilogy opens in May 1999.

¡Yo Quiero Taco Bell!

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Taco Bell's talking Chihuahua becomes a favorite teen advertising icon and sparks a surge of interest in the breed.

Actor Rick Schroder replaces Jimmy Smits on ABC's "NYPD Blue." The fate of Smits' character in his last episode – he dies when a heart transplant fails — became a source of nationwide speculation.

Corbis/Mitchell Gerber

Music News

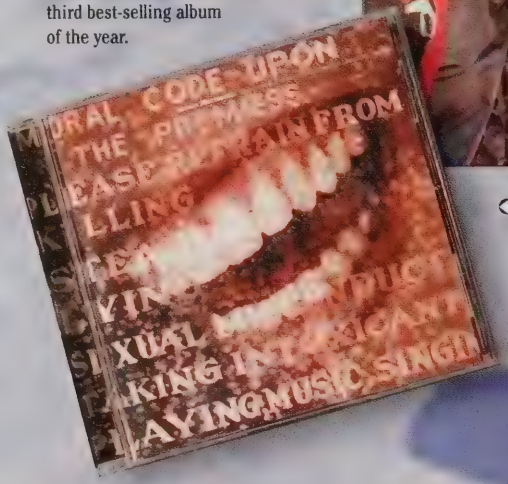
OROP/Shooting Star

Thanks in part to their 42-city tour, The Backstreet Boys' self-titled album sells nine million copies making it the third best-selling album of the year.

Singer and actor Frank Sinatra dies at the age of 82 on May 14, 1998.

AP Photo/Rick Hawer

Sharp and Sony introduce portable MiniDisc recorders. This digital alternative to audiocassettes records customized music compilations and doesn't skip when bumped.



Alanis Morissette's new album, *Supposed Former Infatuation Junkie*, is released in November and vaults to No. 1. The album sells 469,000 copies in the first week.

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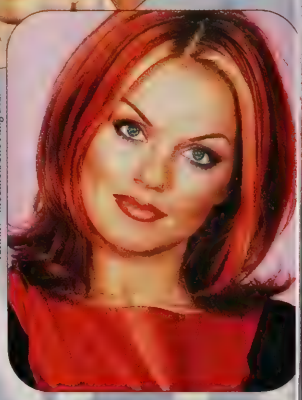
In January 1999, the group 'N Sync wins Favorite New Pop/Rock Artist at the American Music Awards.

The Dixie Chicks' *Wide Open Spaces* is the fastest-selling debut album by a country music group. The group wins the Vocal Group of the Year award from the Country Music Association.

AP Photo/Michael S. Green

AP Photo/Joey Terrill

Nineteen-year-old Usher is named *Billboard* Music Awards' Artist of the Year and R&B Artist of the Year. Touring with Janet Jackson and making television and movie appearances has heightened Usher's popularity.



A.P.R.F. - Mouillon/Shooting Star

Spice Girl Geri Halliwell, better known as Ginger Spice, announces in May 1998 that she is leaving the popular group for creative reasons.

Music News

Swing dancing makes a big comeback with the help of music from bands like Cherry Poppin' Daddies (shown) and the Brian Setzer Orchestra.

AP Photo/File

Jewel scores on two fronts. Her book of poetry, *A Night Without Armor,* makes the New York Times best-seller list, and her album, *Spirit*, is released in November.

AP Photo/Michael Okoniewski

Shania Twain wins the Favorite Female Country Artist award at the American Music Awards and receives six Grammy nominations.

Reuters/Steve Marcus/Archive Photos

The popularity of Lauryn Hill's album *The Miseducation of Lauryn Hill* leads to 10 Grammy nominations, the most for any female artist in history. Hill kicks off a worldwide tour in January 1999.

Reuters/Steve Marcus/Archive Photos

Natalie Imbruglia wins Breakthrough Artist honors at the MTV Video Music Awards in September. Her album, *Left of the Middle*, features hits "Torn" and "Wishing I Was There."

AP Photo/The Hamilton Spectator, Scott Gardner

Aerosmith's "I Don't Want to Miss a Thing," from the movie *Armageddon*, becomes the group's first single to hit No. 1 on the *Billboard* Hot 100 charts.

ROBA PRESS/Shooting Star

Monica is the only artist in 1998 with two No. 1 hits on the *Billboard* Hot 100, including "The First Night" and "The Boy Is Mine," a duet she sings with Brandy.

In November, Garth Brooks' new album *Double Live* enjoys first-day sales of over 500,000 copies, the industry's best one-day tally. Brooks makes special TV and Wal-Mart closed-circuit TV appearances to promote the release.

AP Photo/GB Management, Jenny Yates

Flash

Psychologists discover a connection between musical training and verbal memory. Children trained to play a music instrument grow up to have 16 percent better word memory than other adults.

Movie soundtracks account for nearly half of the Gold and Platinum certification Some of the top soundtracks include *Titanic* and *Return to Titanic, City of Angels, Armageddon, Hope Floats, Dr. Doolittle* and *The Wedding Singer.*

Whitney Houston's *My Love Is Your Love* is her first studio album in eight years. The album includes the hit duet with Mariah Carey entitled "When You Believe

Actor/rapper Will Smith wins three American Music Awards, including Favorite Pop/Rock Album, Favorite Soul/R&B Album and Favorite Soul/R&B Male Artist.

Sports News

Reuters/John Jacono/Archive Photos

Sang Lan, China's 17-year-old gymnastics champion, breaks two vertebrae during a vault at the Goodwill Games in July, leaving her paralyzed from the chest down.

Mike Powell/Allsport

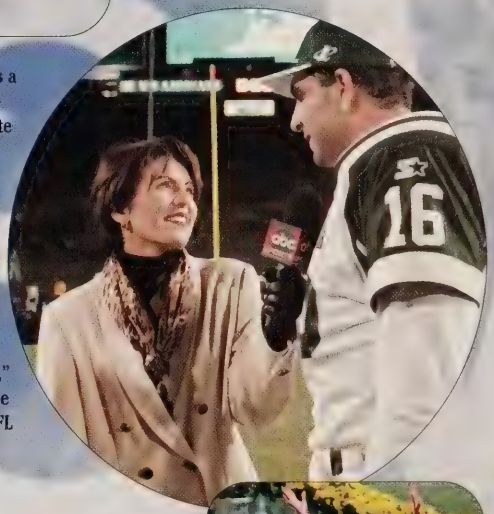
Skiboards, short skis with twin tips that allow forward and backward jumping, debut in competition at the 1998 ESPN Winter X Games.

AP Photo/Ric Feld

Jeff Gordon wins the NASCAR Winston Cup for a second year in a row. Gordon, 27, is the youngest driver to win three Winston Cup championships.

In March 1998, ESPN launches a large-format sports magazine, *ESPN The Magazine*, to compete with *Sports Illustrated*.

On January 4, 1999, Tennessee beats Florida State University 23-16 at the Fiesta Bowl in Arizona to win the national championship. It is the first year of the Bowl Championship Series, created to ensure that the highest ranked college teams nationally meet in a bowl game.



Ida Mae Astute/ABC

ABC's Lesley Visser becomes the first woman to report from the sidelines during "Monday Night Football," the 1998 Super Bowl, the NCAA Final Four and NFL playoff games.

AP Photo/Dave Martin

AP Photo/Susan A. Walsh

Defending champion Detroit Red Wings win the 1998 Stanley Cup championship, beating the Washington Capitals 4-1. Defenseman Vladimir Konstantinov, severely injured in a car accident after last year's Stanley Cup win, joins the celebration.

AP Photo/Eric Risberg

Flamboyant sprinter Florence Griffith Joyner (FloJo), triple gold medalist at the 1988 Olympics, dies at age 38 in her sleep, of suffocation during an epileptic seizure.

Sports News

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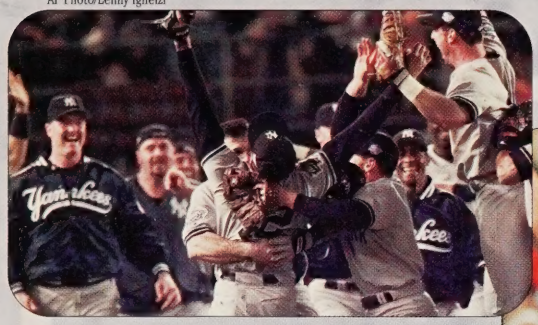

In a 4-0 sweep against the San Diego Padres, the New York Yankees win the 1998 World Series to claim their 24th championship. The Yankees' 125 total victories is a modern baseball record.

In July, France beats Brazil 3-0 to win its first World Cup soccer title. During celebrations, a motorist drives through the crowd on the Champs-Elysées and injures 60 people.

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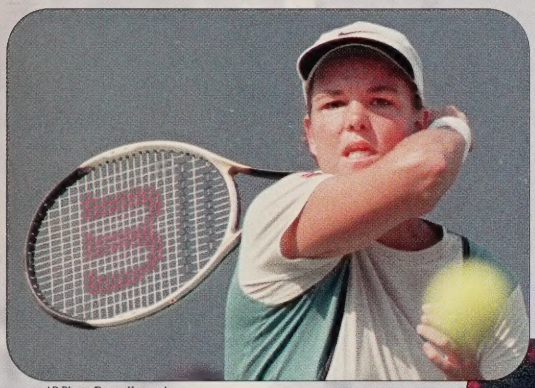

AP Photo/Rusty Kennedy

Lindsay Davenport, 22, defeats Martina Hingis in the U.S. Open in September and becomes the No. 1-ranked player in the world.

Mike Powell/Allsport

Olympic gymnast Dominique Moceanu is declared a legal adult after suing her parents, alleging they squandered her earnings and oppressed her for years. Later, Moceanu is granted a protective order against her father for stalking her.

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St. Louis Cardinal Mark McGwire hits home run number 62 on September 8, breaking the record set by Roger Maris in 1961. McGwire ends the season with 70 home runs.

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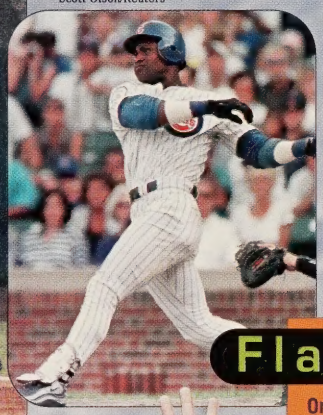
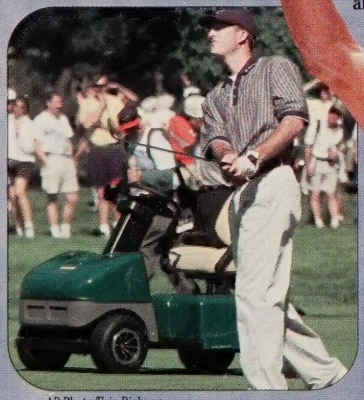


On September 13, Sammy Sosa of the Chicago Cubs also breaks Roger Maris' record with his single-season 62nd home run. Sosa ends the season with 66 home runs.

AP Photo/Eric Draper

The defending champion Denver Broncos meet the upstart Atlanta Falcons at Super Bowl XXXIII in Miami. The Broncos win 34-19.



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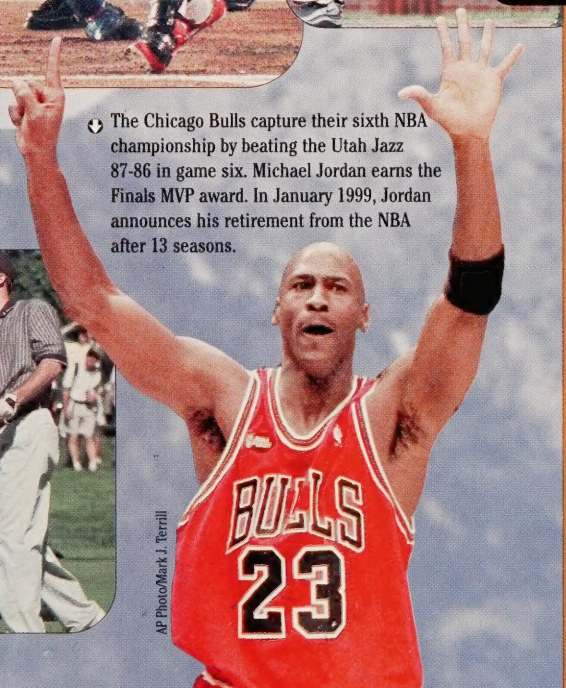
Golfer Casey Martin, who suffers from a circulatory disorder in his right leg, wins a lawsuit allowing him to use a cart during PGA and Nike golf tournaments.



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The Chicago Bulls capture their sixth NBA championship by beating the Utah Jazz 87-86 in game six. Michael Jordan earns the Finals MVP award. In January 1999, Jordan announces his retirement from the NBA after 13 seasons.

Flash

On September 20, Cal Ripken Jr. ends his 16-year streak of 2,632 consecutive baseball games played by withdrawing himself from the Baltimore lineup for that night.

NBA owners impose a lockout on July 1 that causes almost half the '98 -'99 basketball season to be lost. The labor dispute is settled on January 6.

Tennis star Pete Sampras wins his fifth Wimbledon title and remains the world's No. 1 player for a record sixth straight year, breaking Jimmy Connors' mark for consecutive seasons on top.

The NFL season is plagued with controversial and incorrect calls. Instant replay is not reinstated, but coin toss procedures are implemented

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